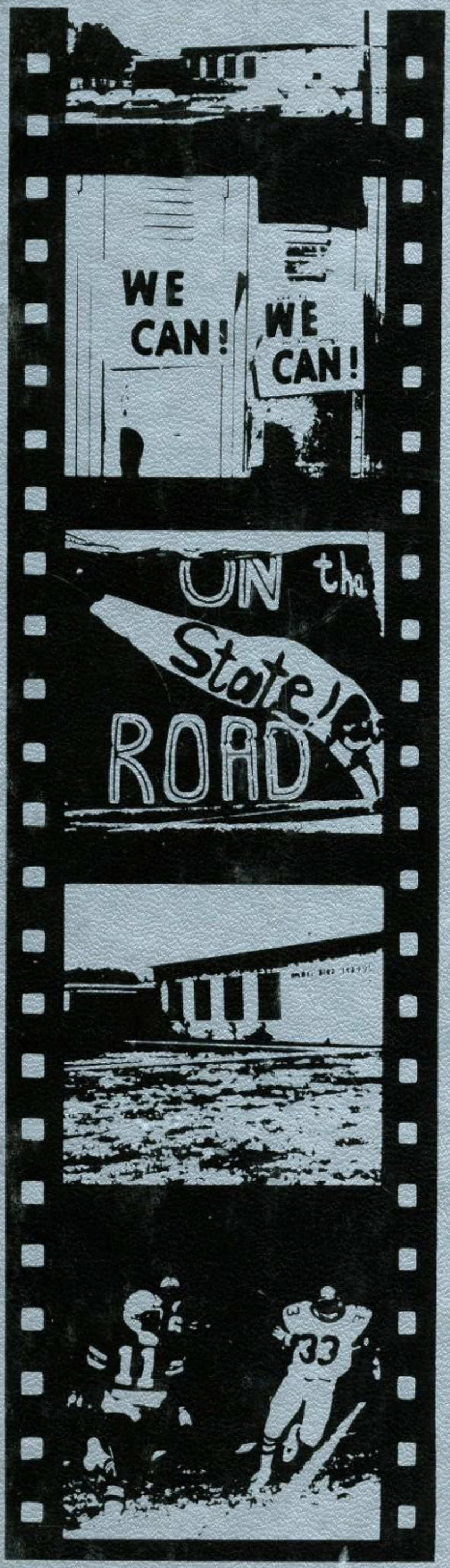

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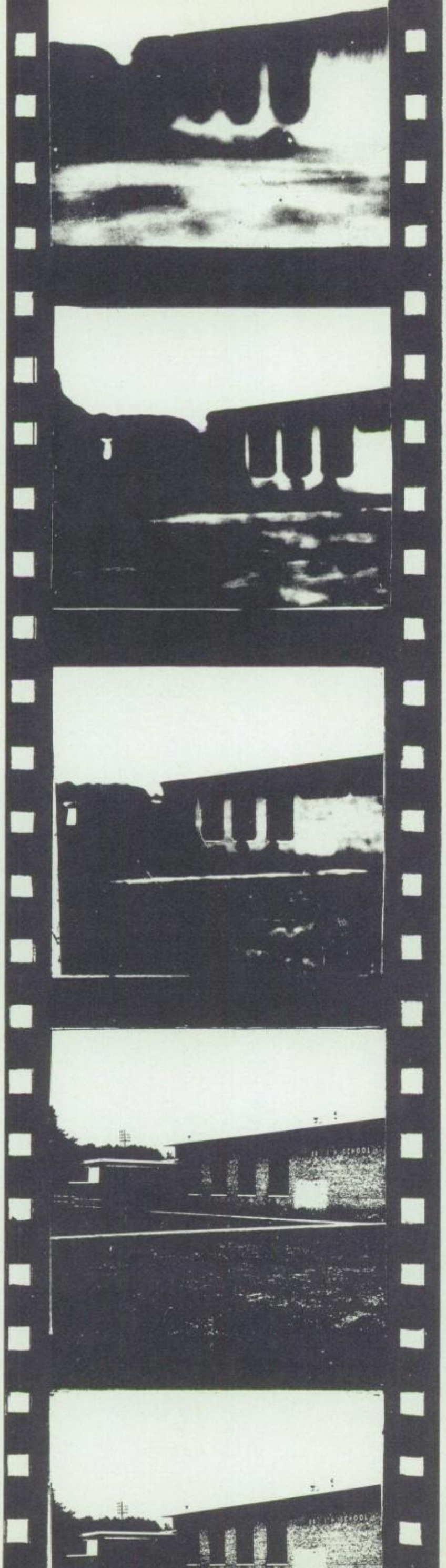

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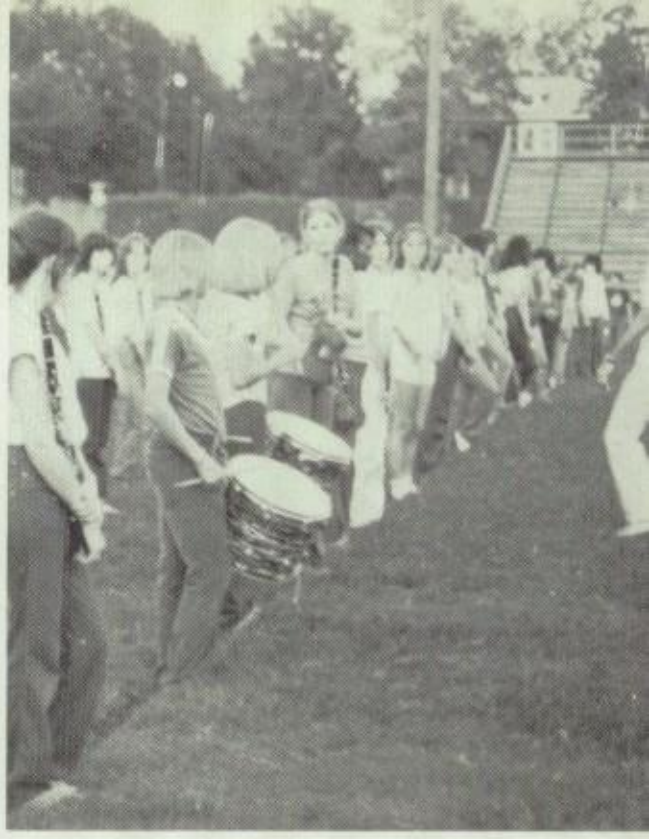

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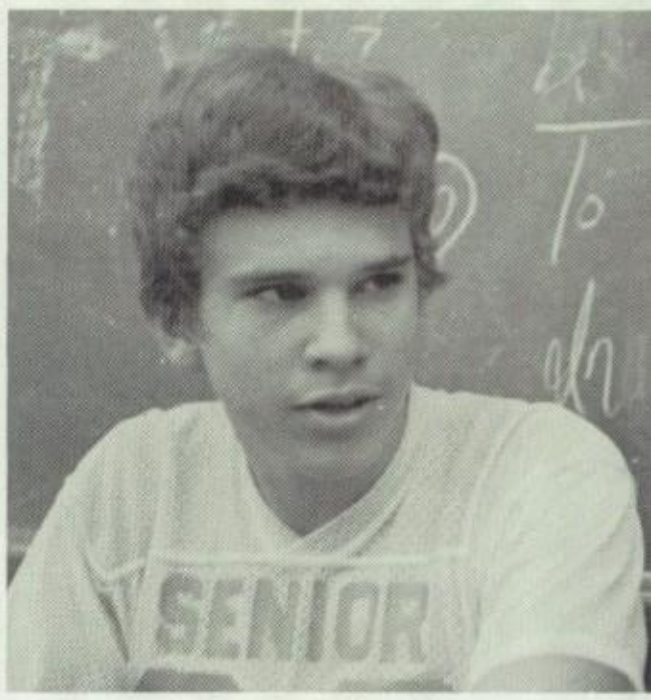


Focus On 1982

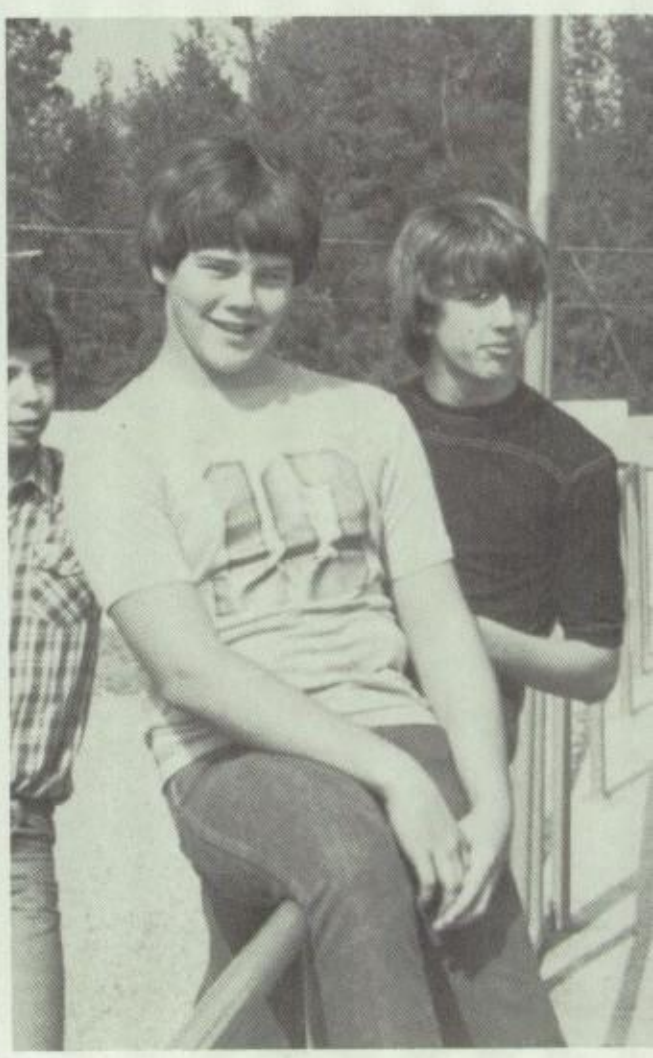
This was a year of many images. To focus on this year, we must first focus on the separate dimensions, then we must pull these images together and see this time in our lives as a whole, in focus.

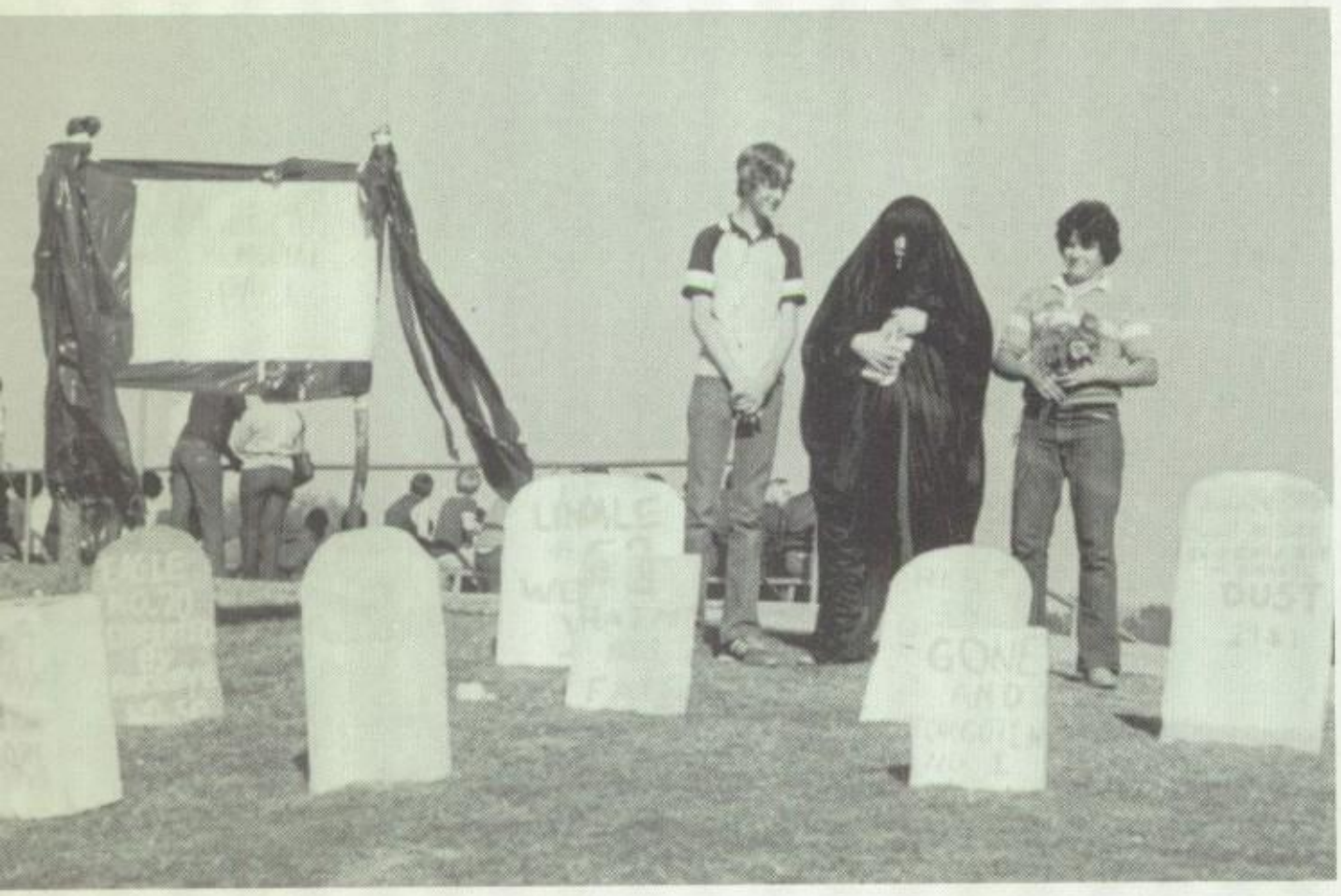
The first image of the year was one of sweaty guys working out on hot August afternoons: the Buckeyes, a team to compete in the State AAA Finals on a not-so-hot December afternoon in Waco. We can never forget the pride we had in them, or the fun we had backing them. We painted our cars, our friends' cars, store windows, and dozens of signs to hang up and down the halls.

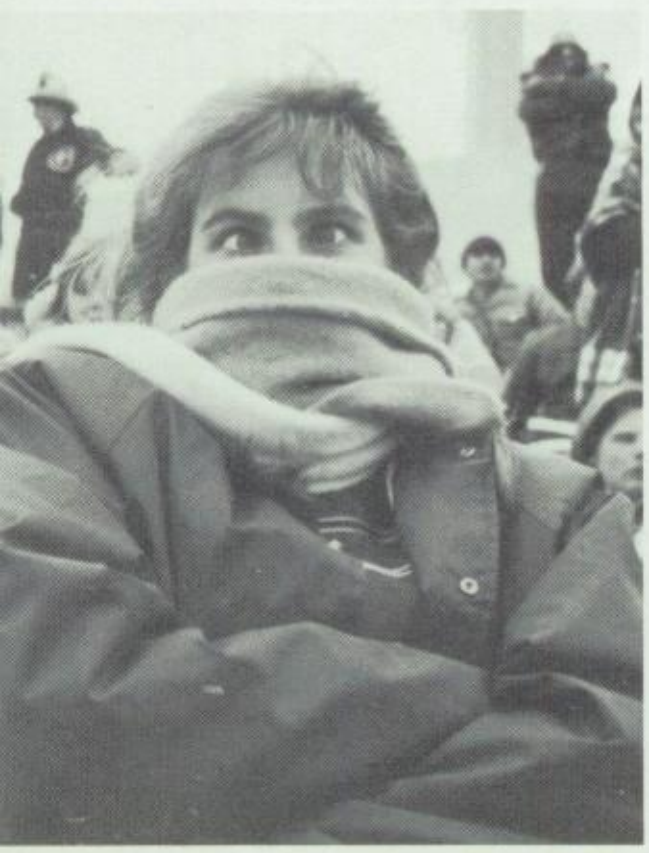
Nothing and no one escaped Buckeye Fever; orange and black ribbons on people and orange and black ribbons in yards, even when the red and green of Christmas should have been more prominent.

In another image, we saw the Buckeye Band also working hard on those same hot August afternoons and on the bitter cold mornings to keep us entertained at halftime with impressive shows, then bring us to our feet with a rousing playing of the school song as the team returned to the field.

While the images of football







season are foremost in our minds, there were many other images of the year. There were always research papers to be done and tests to study for, yet upperclassmen always found time to agitate freshmen. We managed to do some of our best creative work when trying to explain to Mr. Rayson what we were doing in the hall. And when we were in class we harrassed our teachers with questions like "Why do we have to do this?" and "Is this going to be on a test?". Yet somehow, in spite of all our goofing around, we managed to get our work done and to come out on top.

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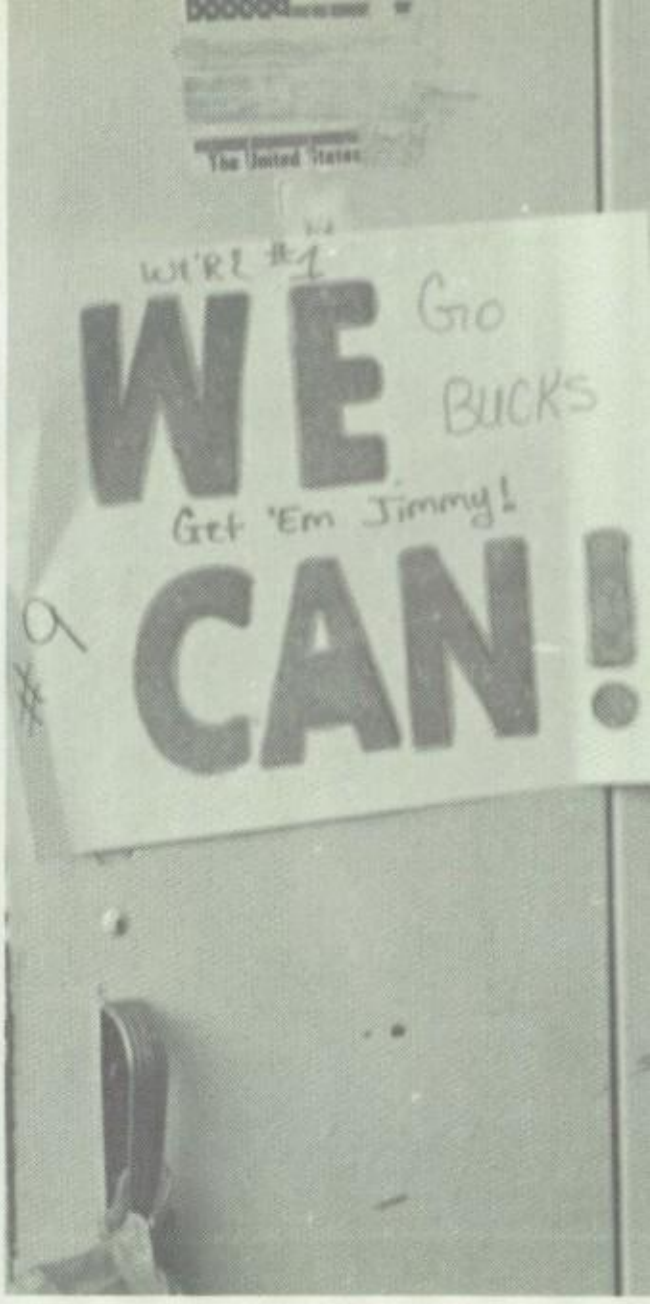
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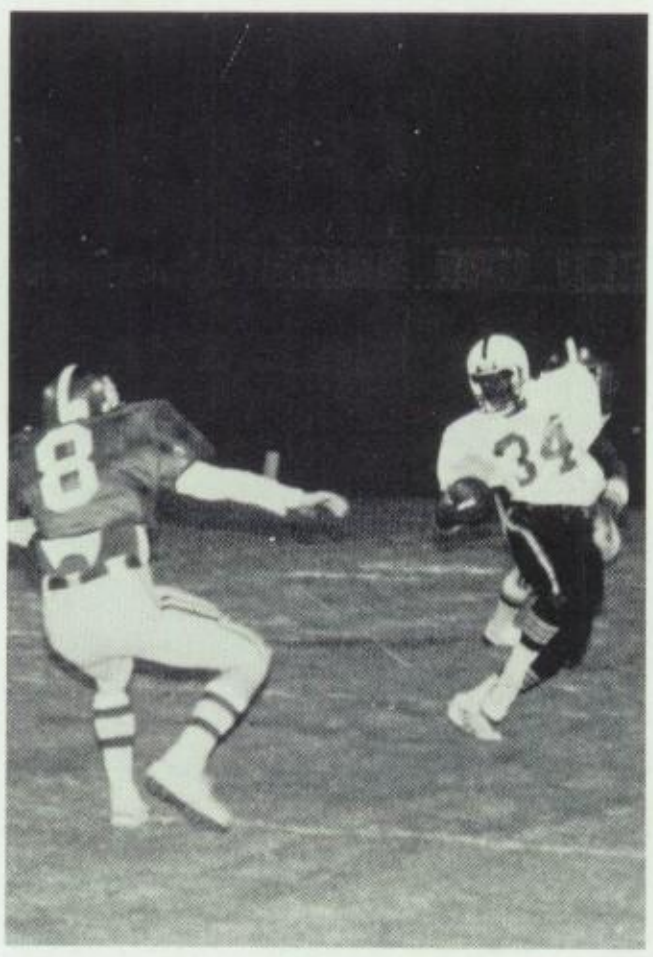

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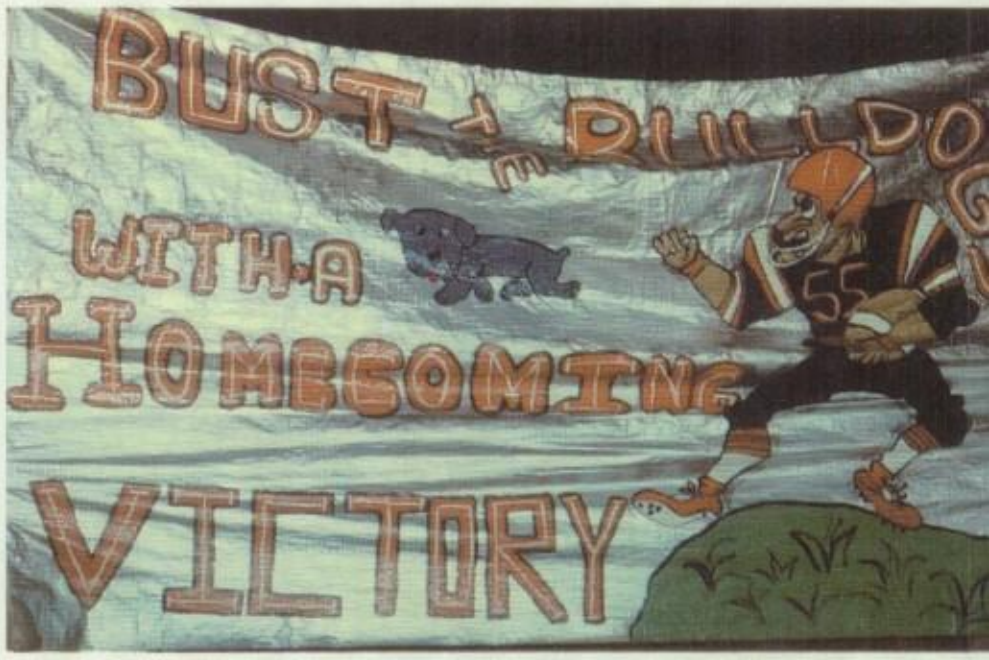
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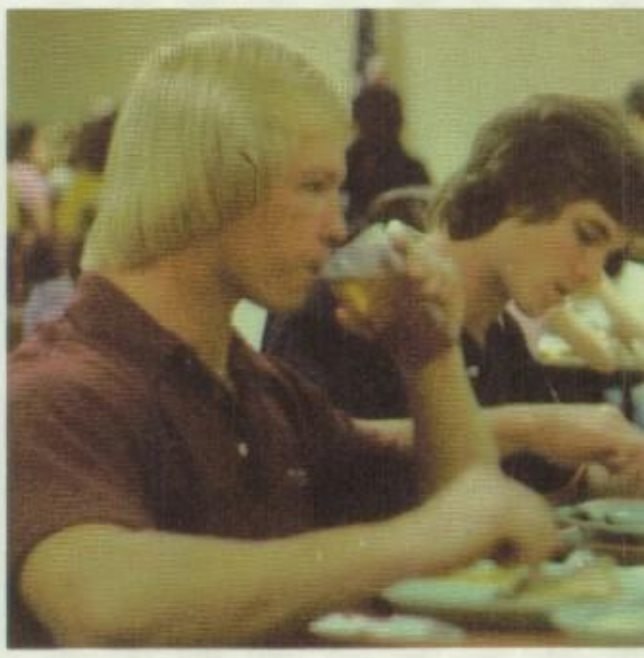

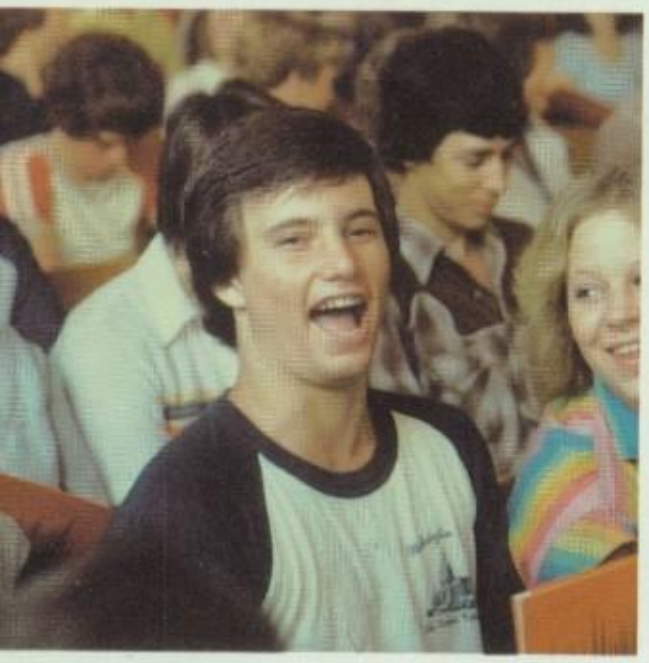

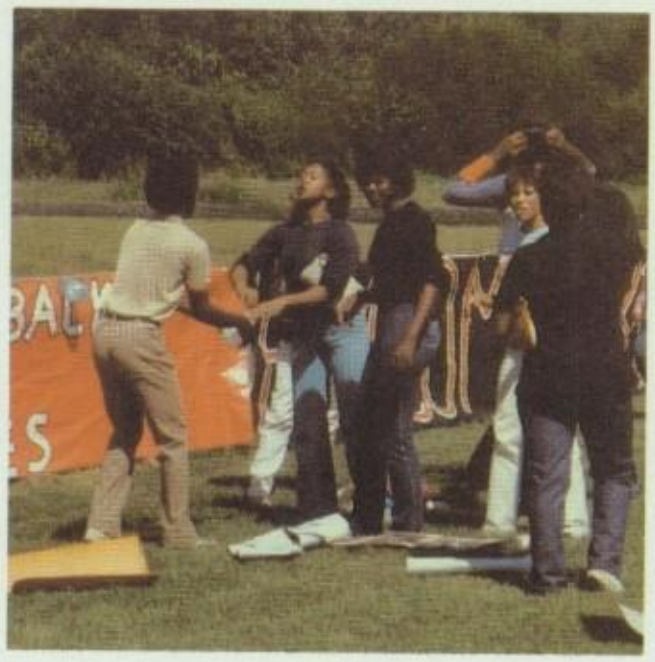

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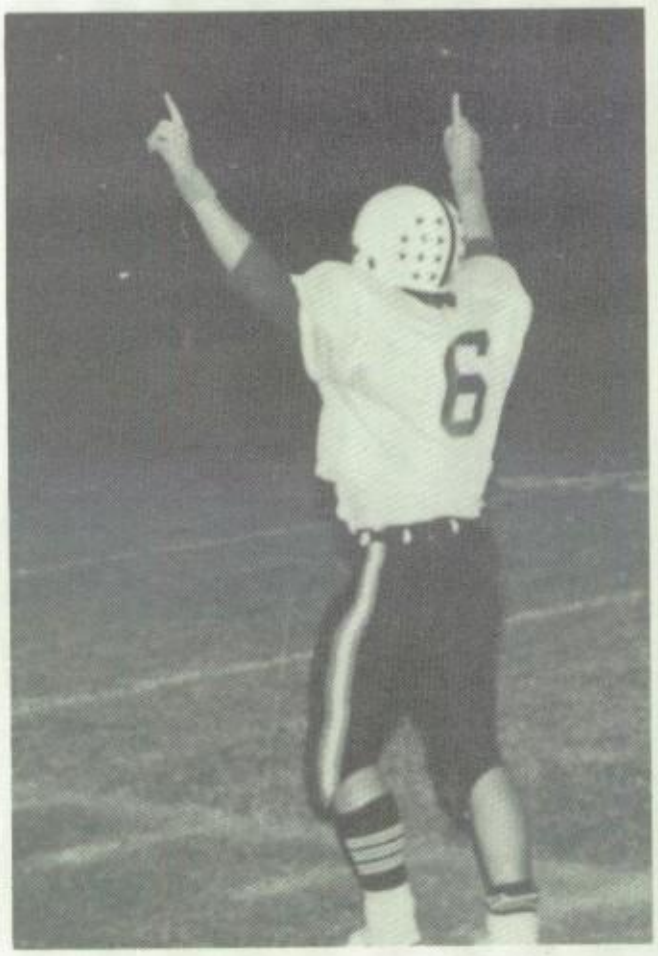

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STUDENT LIFE

Animation pages created and produced by Karen Monk and Randy McDonald

Morning Is An Eye-Opening Experience

In the morning some people might have thought of sleeping late or murdering their alarm clocks, whereas most students were slowly getting out of bed, getting ready for school, to hop on the bus or hop in their car. Mornings included catching up on yesterday's news in the hall and rushing to beat the tardy bell. Some teachers arrived early to help aspiring students while others gathered to enjoy a few laughs. For the latecomers Mr. Rayson had a little something to give them. What a way to begin the day!

Mrs. Stewart helps Teri with some tough Algebra problems.

Regina and Gayla share a humorous joke before band begins.

Left: Leslie and Carrie Wilson await the arrival of Mr. Clifton.

w: Barbara Baker would rather be
ng her car.

Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Fitzgerald, and Mr. Petty enjoy a couple of laughs in the lounge before the hectic day begins.

Left: Anthony, Dennis, and Phil discuss the latest gossip before going to class.

All Things Were Bright And Beautiful

Every year we have looked forward to the Yamboree and this year was no exception. The band worked hard every morning and Tuesday nights to prepare for the marching contest. Spirits were high because we were ready for the time away from school. This year saw one change in the Yamboree; for the first time in many years the queen was not a senior at G.H.S. Our student body was well represented, however, by Ladies-In-Waiting to the Queen, pageant dancers, and our school duchess.

Gilmer High School was well represented in the Yamboree.

Pages by Gayla Day; completed by Karen Monk.

Danna Blasingame — Rotary Club

Stacy Richardson — Lions Club

Adra Meadows — Bluebonnet Club

Laura Martin — Twentieth Century Club

Dancing to the beat of Celebration, Michele and Kristi entertain the Yamboree crowd.

Marty says to Tommy, "Smile, it isn't that bad."

Peggy and Tina add an Oriental flare to the Queen's pageant.

Donna Gordon — School Duchess

Kelly, Frank, Jim, Cindy, Delinda, and David make a grand ending in their square dance.

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School Spir

Amusement filled the halls on dress-up days as students came to school decked out in many hilarious costumes. Although the week of celebration was almost over, school pride was still sparkling on the night of the bonfire. Bright flames rose from bundles of burning wood with excitement and cheers rising from the crowd. The final day was filled with a pep rally, mum deliveries, fence decorating, and the climax of a Homecoming game victory that night in Buckeye Stadium.

Sophomores work towards their goal for the best bonfire ever.

Seniors won the fence contest.

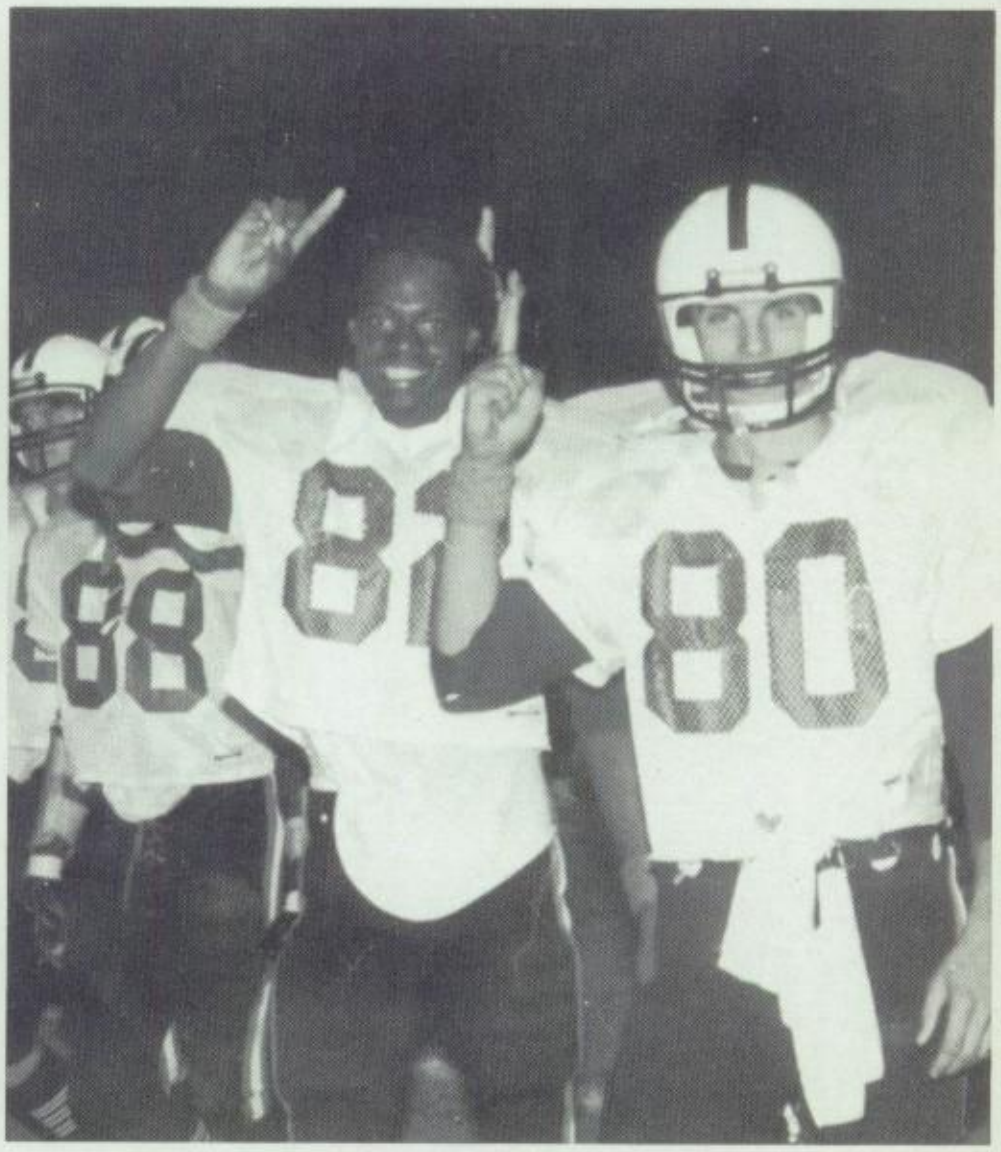
Cindy and Darrellene proudly show off their mums.

Highlights Homecoming

After the game, students celebrate the victory.

Cheerleaders show their support for the Buckeyes.

David and Markeef display pride in winning Homecoming.



The Royal Court Of 1981

The moment arrived as the 1981 Royal Court was presented. The pleasure to see such bright lovely faces made the pre-game ceremony a beautiful attraction. The enthusiastic crowd made the Homecoming a magic and memorable event. The name of the game was spirit shown by the entire audience as this beautiful court was presented.

Queen Kelly Blasingame
Escort Randy Burris

Football Sweetheart Cindy Camp
Escort Darin Horris

Band Sweetheart Danna Blasingame
Escort Randy McDonald

Sr. Duchess Betty Smith
Escort Danny Fagan

Jr. Duchess Wendy Turner
Escort Roger McKnight

Jr. Duchess Bonny Young
Escort Daron Morgan

So. Duchess Frankie Derrick
Escort Norris Webb

So. Duchess Cathy Davidson
Escort David McEachern

Fr. Duchess Cherly Beal
Escort Kenneth Beal

Fr. Duchess Cathy Glendinning
Escort Larry Nelson

History-Making Buckeyes Become A Symbol of Pride and Success

At the beginning of the season, our hopes and goals were high. The Buckeyes made our dreams come true as they became the champions at every game. We all went to the final game with our hearts full of expectations. The weather was cold but nothing could hold back our spirit as every fan stood and cheered when the team ran onto the field. The clock ticked down and we were not crowned state champions but we all came away proud. When they left the field, they had accomplished being unified and dignified. The hard work each player put forth gave them the privilege to be the first team from Gilmer to ever advance so far in competition. All the thrilling and exciting moments they gave us will live in our memories forever.

The initial strike against the opposition gave the Buckeye fans hope.

The Buckeyes unite together in defense against the oncoming kick.

For his leadership ability, Mr. Waggo received Coach of the Year.

The Semifinals trophy signifies our victories.

Rodney Baker receives his silver U.I.L. medal.

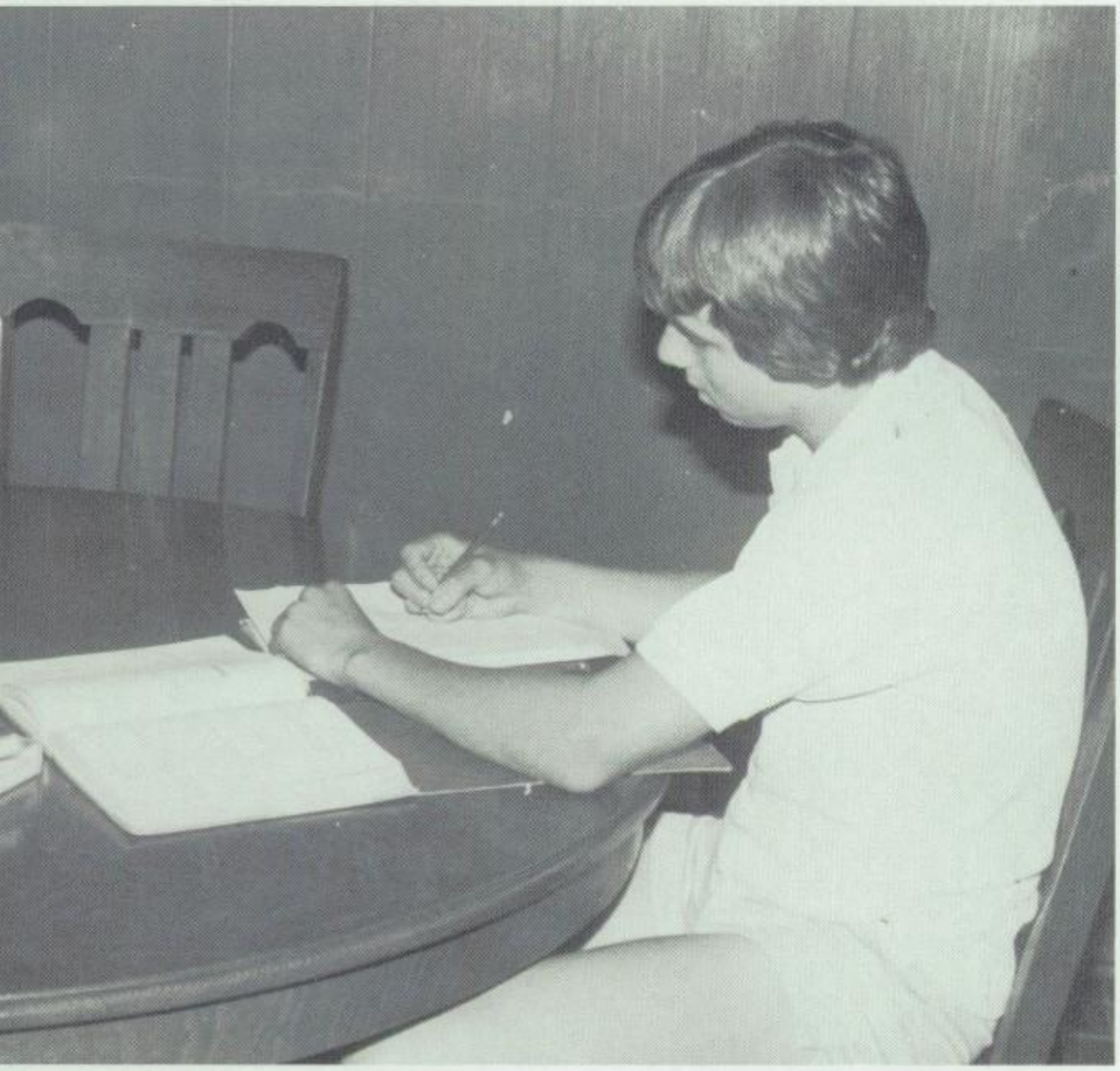
Rodger McKnight attempts to score against the swarming defense.

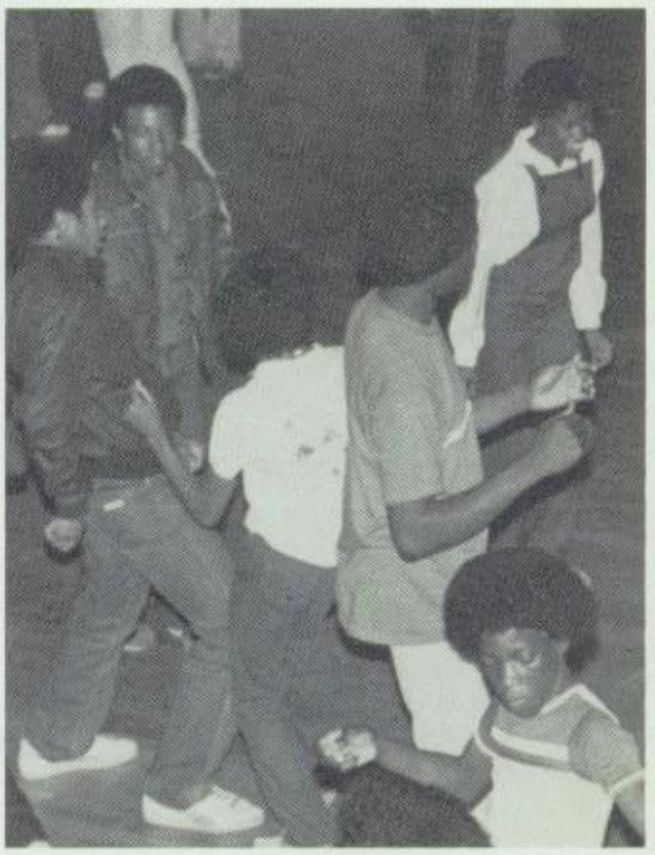
Cheerleaders Marty and Delinda show their emotions after the defeat.

Right: Paulette and Kecia indulge in an occasional game of Astro-Smash.
Bottom left: Frank enjoys the evening watching television.

We Love The Night Life!

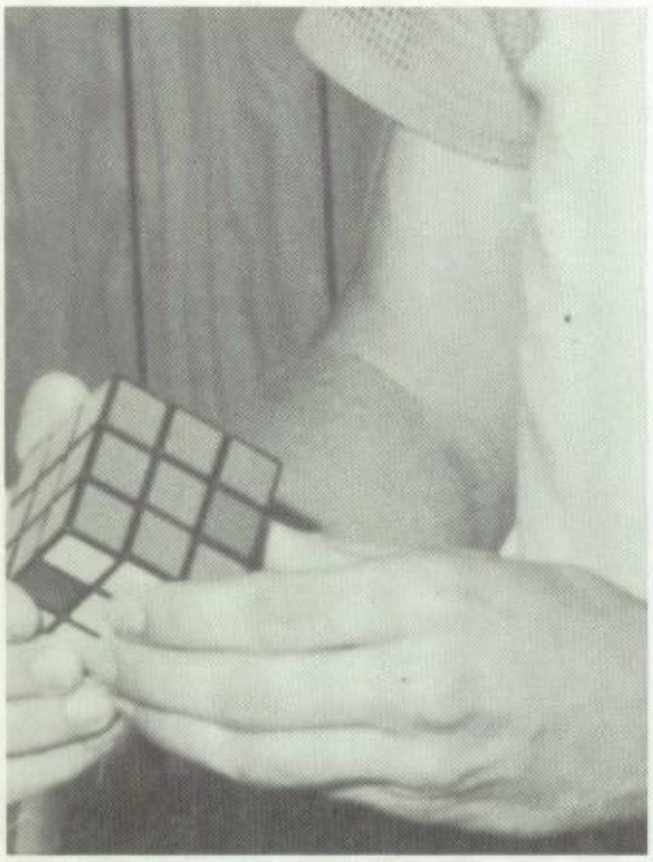
Everyone loved the night life, here was never a dull moment. When the football games and other activities were over, and boredom began to set in we began finding different ways to amuse and entertain ourselves. During the week, time was spent studying, watching television, or resting up for the next day. But the weekends were a different story. Students could be found at dances, wrapping everything in sight, riding around town, congregating at the Dairy Queen, or just hanging out. Everyone agreed that the night life added a little spice to everyone's life.

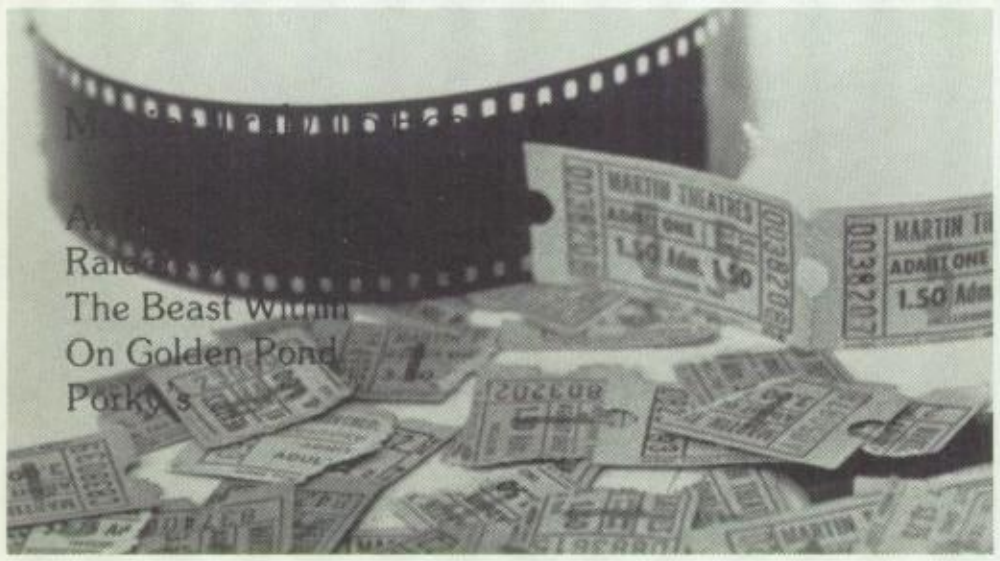




Everyone celebrates the District Championship with a Victory Dance.

Above: John spends a quiet evening at home studying.
Left: Stacy, Dina, Diane, and Kim congregate at the Dairy Queen to catch up on the latest gossip.





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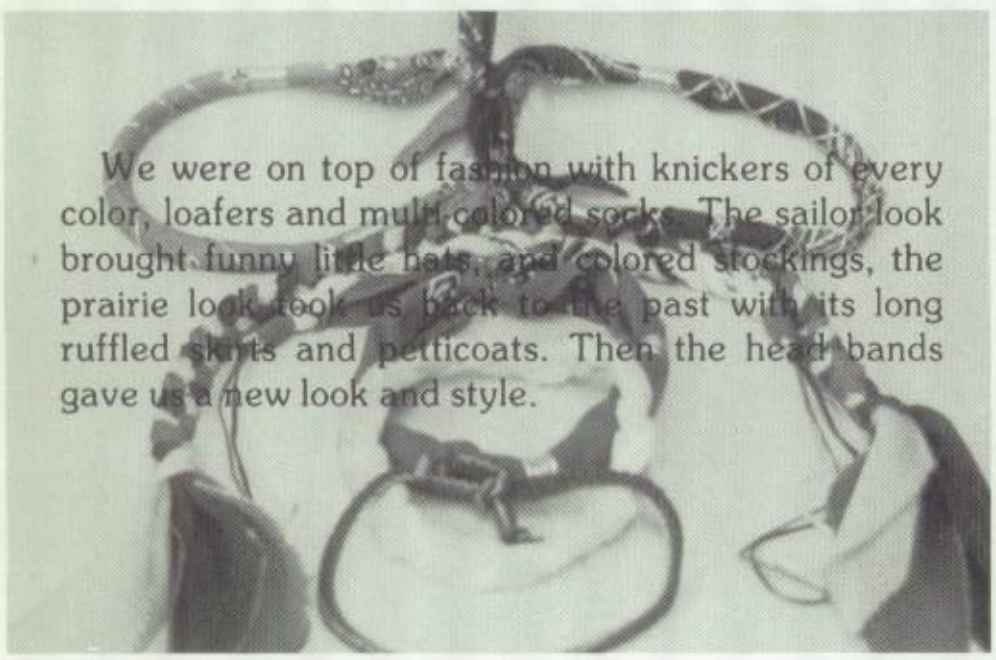
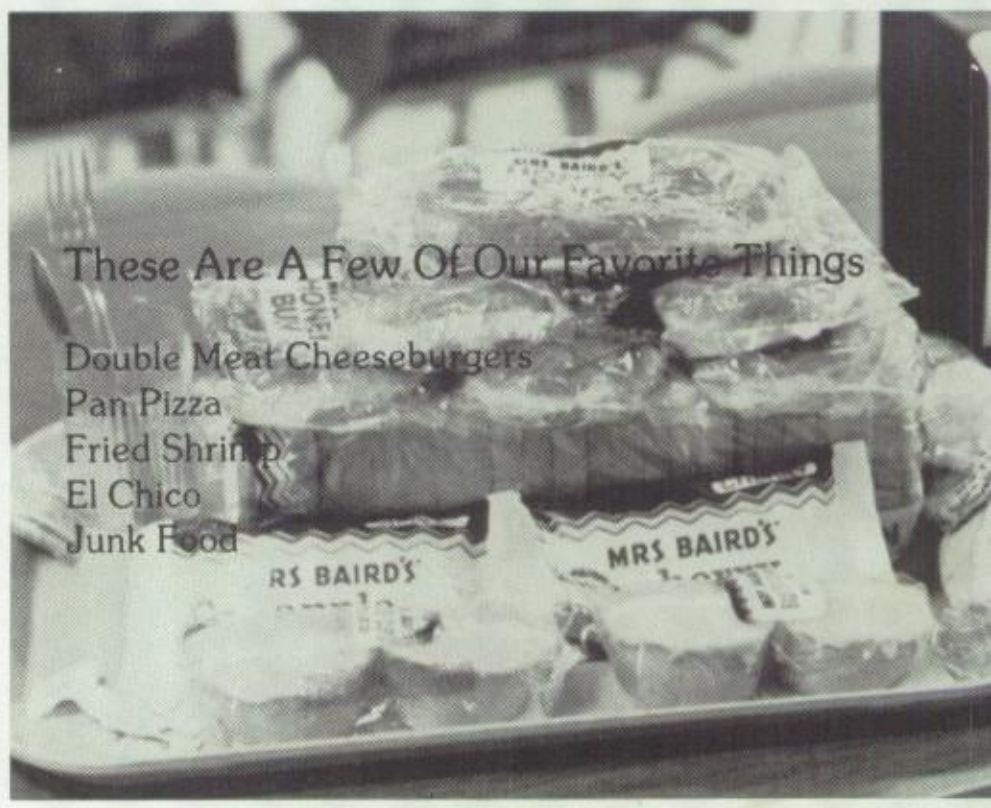


We were on top of fashion with knickers of every color, loafers and multi-colored socks. The sailor look brought funny little hats, and colored stockings, the prairie look took us back to the past with its long ruffled skirts and petticoats. Then the head bands gave us a new look and style.

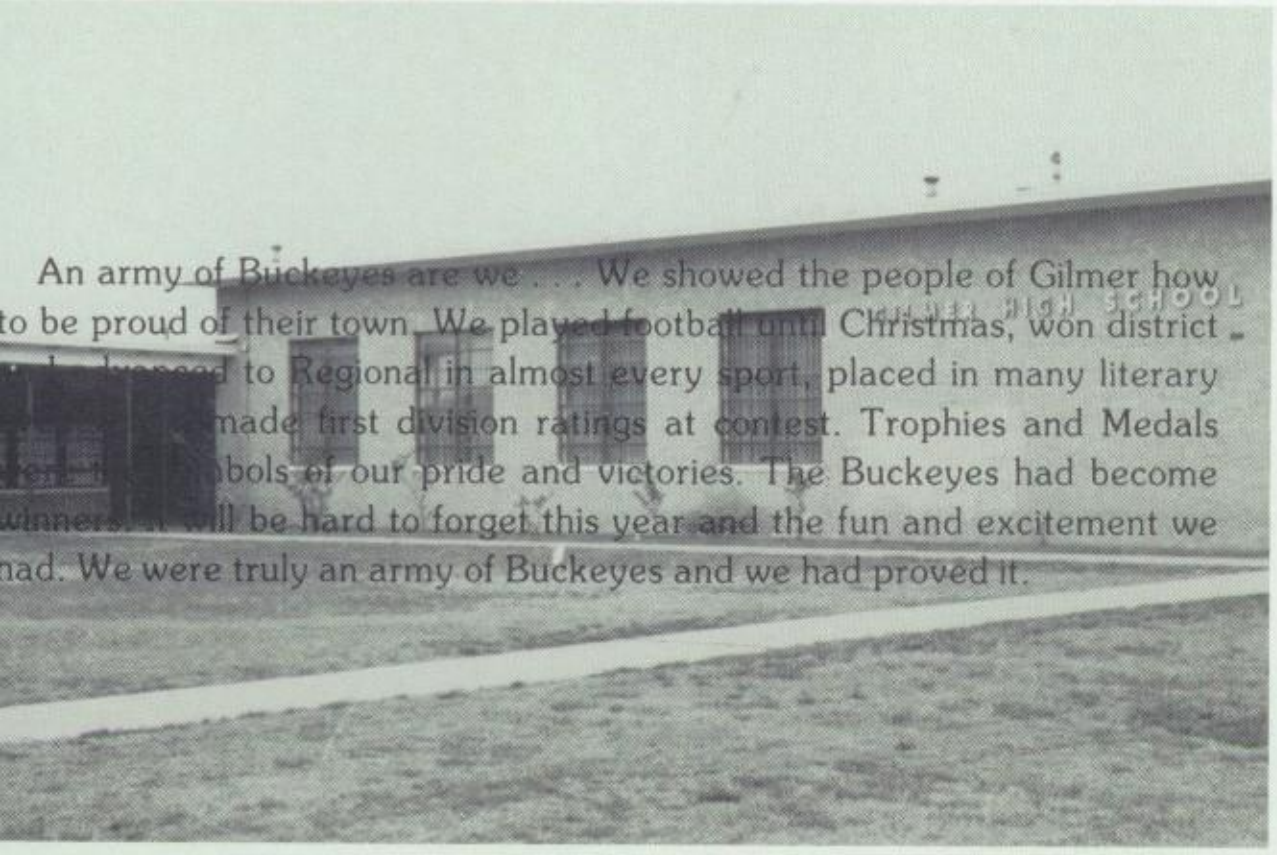
A Look Back . . .



These Are A Few Of Our Favorite Things

Double Meat Cheeseburgers
Pan Pizza
Fried Shrimp
El Chico
Junk Food

At Yesterday


An army of Buckeyes are we . . . We showed the people of Gilmer how
to be proud of their town. We played football until Christmas, won district
to Regional in almost every sport, placed in many literary
made first division ratings at contest. Trophies and Medals
bols of our pride and victories. The Buckeyes had become
will be hard to forget this year and the fun and excitement we
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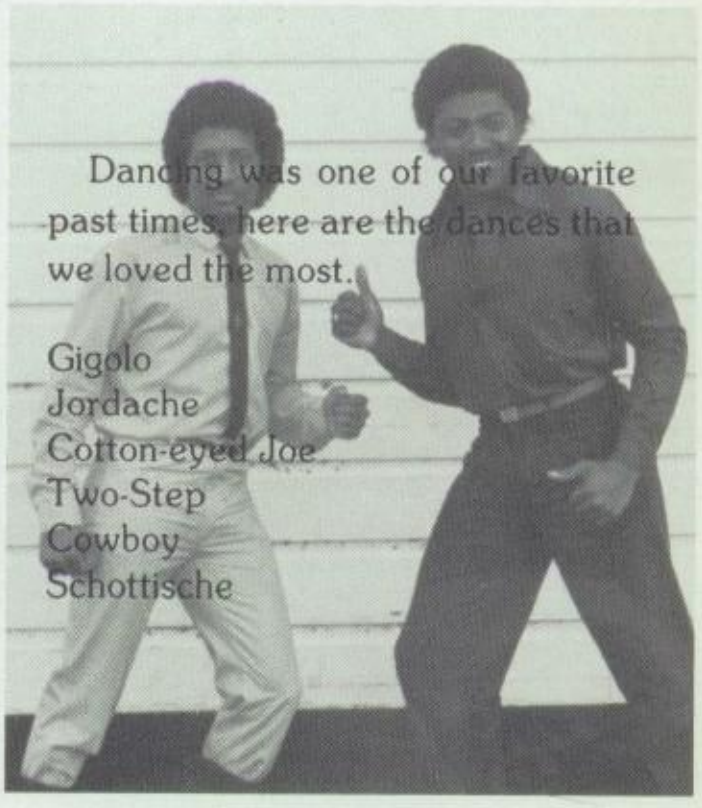
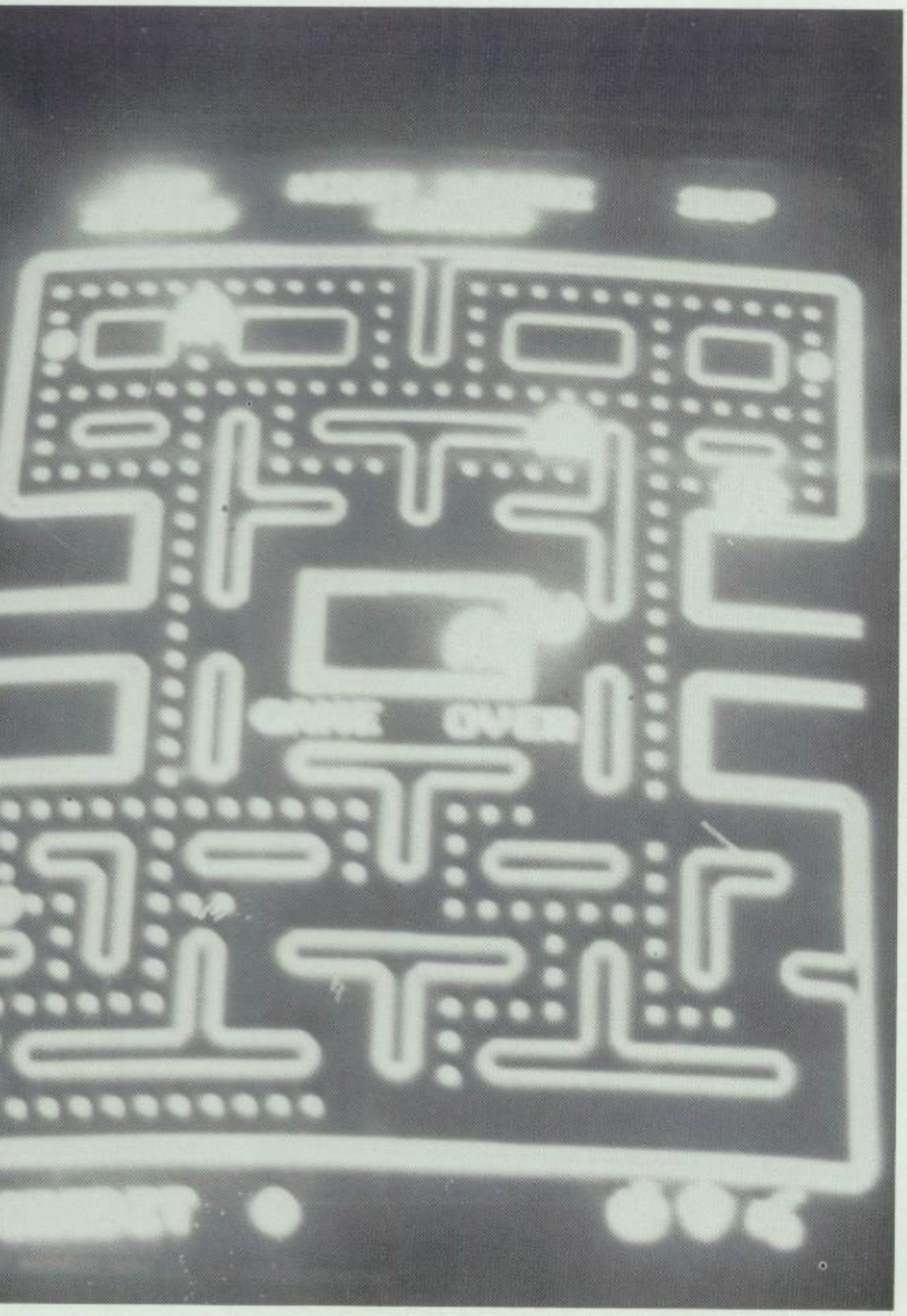
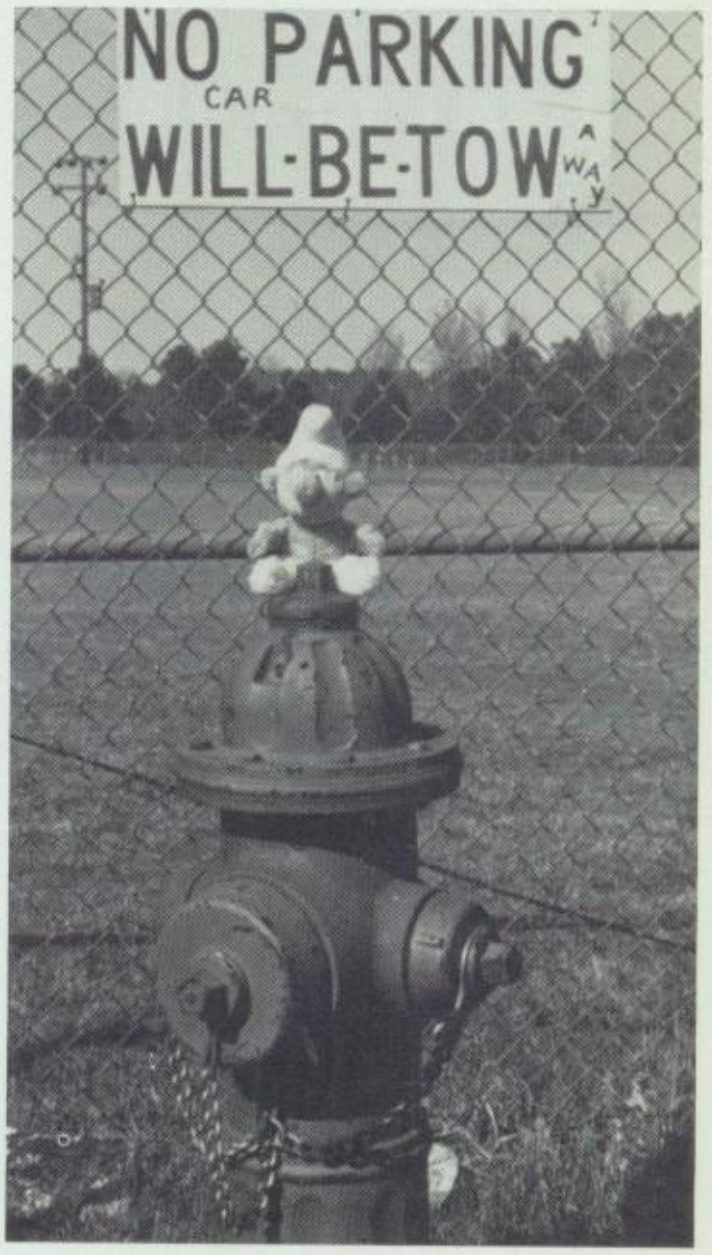






'Tis The Season To Be

. . .

Competitive?? Christmas was the time for the room decorating contest, which is one of the most disputed issues of the holiday season. The question as to who had won the contest was probably more discussed than "who had the Ice Princess" on the popular soap General Hospital.

"100%, pure beef for the manger." explains Ricky.

Mr. Wright prays for luck.

Room 16 has great fun "under the Christmas tree."

Debbie and Lynne can't wait for Santa's arrival.

Four elves, Kelly, Amy, Danna, and Marie welcome judges.

Spirit Comin' At Ya . . .

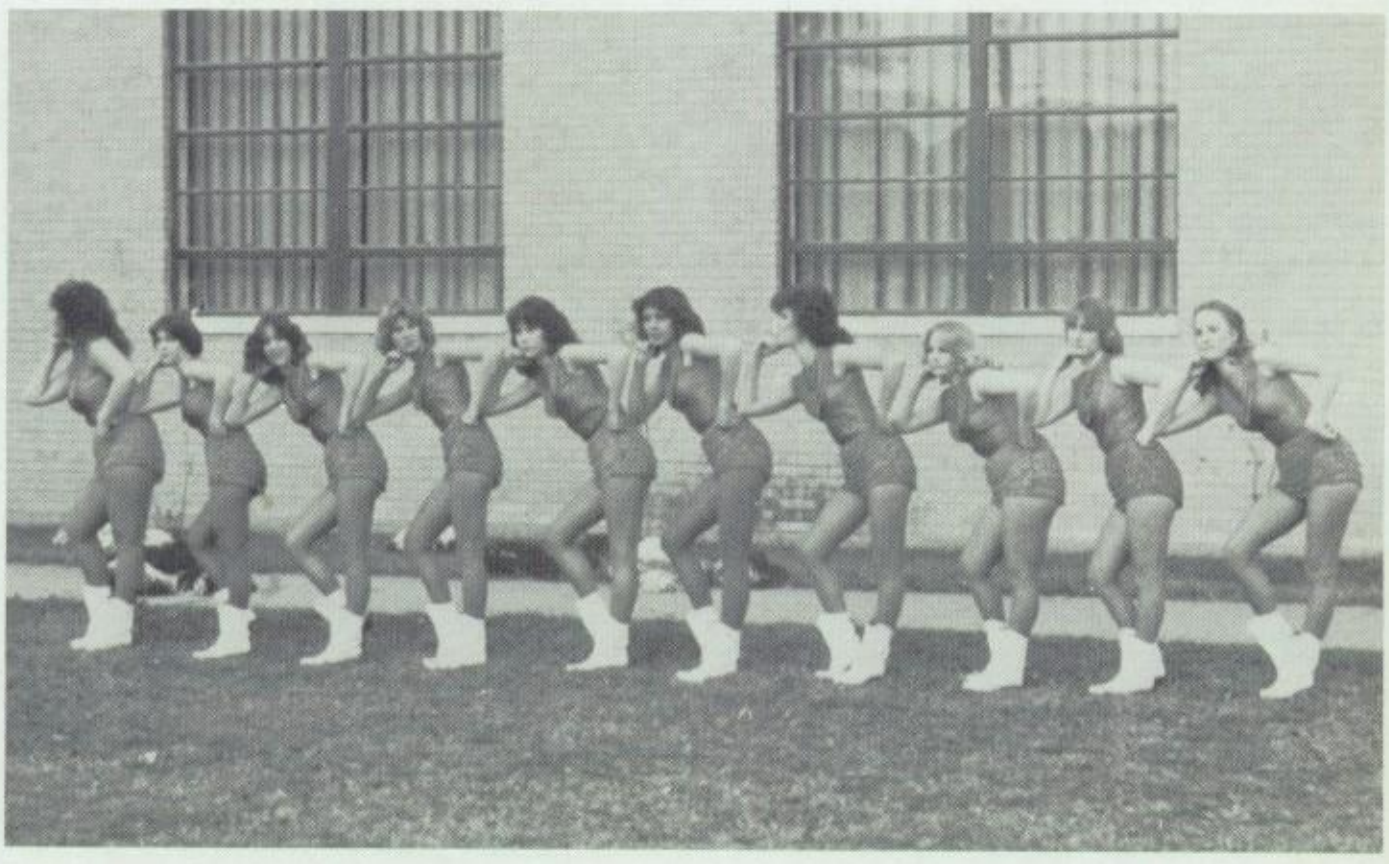
Spirit from Buckeyes was pressed in many different ys. Every week around ednesday, students began to ne alive by participating in ny different days sponsored the cheerleaders. Among se were crazy, western, tacky, sk, and orange-black days. On se days one could see even most intelligent students go zy and do things one never ught they would dare.

On pep rally days strange ngs were known to happen, ch as visits from Very portant People.

Everyone seemed to have uckeye Spirit Fever." It was a fad that everyone wanted get into.

Flea and Danna are lifted by Buckeye spirits as they execute perfect jumps.

en's spirit seems to be lit up on y day.



Majorettes dance to the "No Name Boogie" before the regional game.

. . . In More Ways Than One.

V-I-C-T-O-R-Y, that's the Sophomore battle cry.

Jim Toms tells it like it is at the Yamboree pep rally.

How funky is your chicken?

Robby Campbell shows the latest fad on tacky day.

Coach Waggoner says AHMO will NO-MO and that is Nuff Said!

Cheerleaders back the Bucks by showing their own warm-up techniques.

Michelle seems to be "On Broadway" for the Buckeyes.

Breazeale presents Mr. Rattan with a proclamation declaring the Buckeyes ssadors of good will.

Sports writer, Philip Williams receives his favorite cream pie for his opinion.

Working Students Further Education Outside Of School

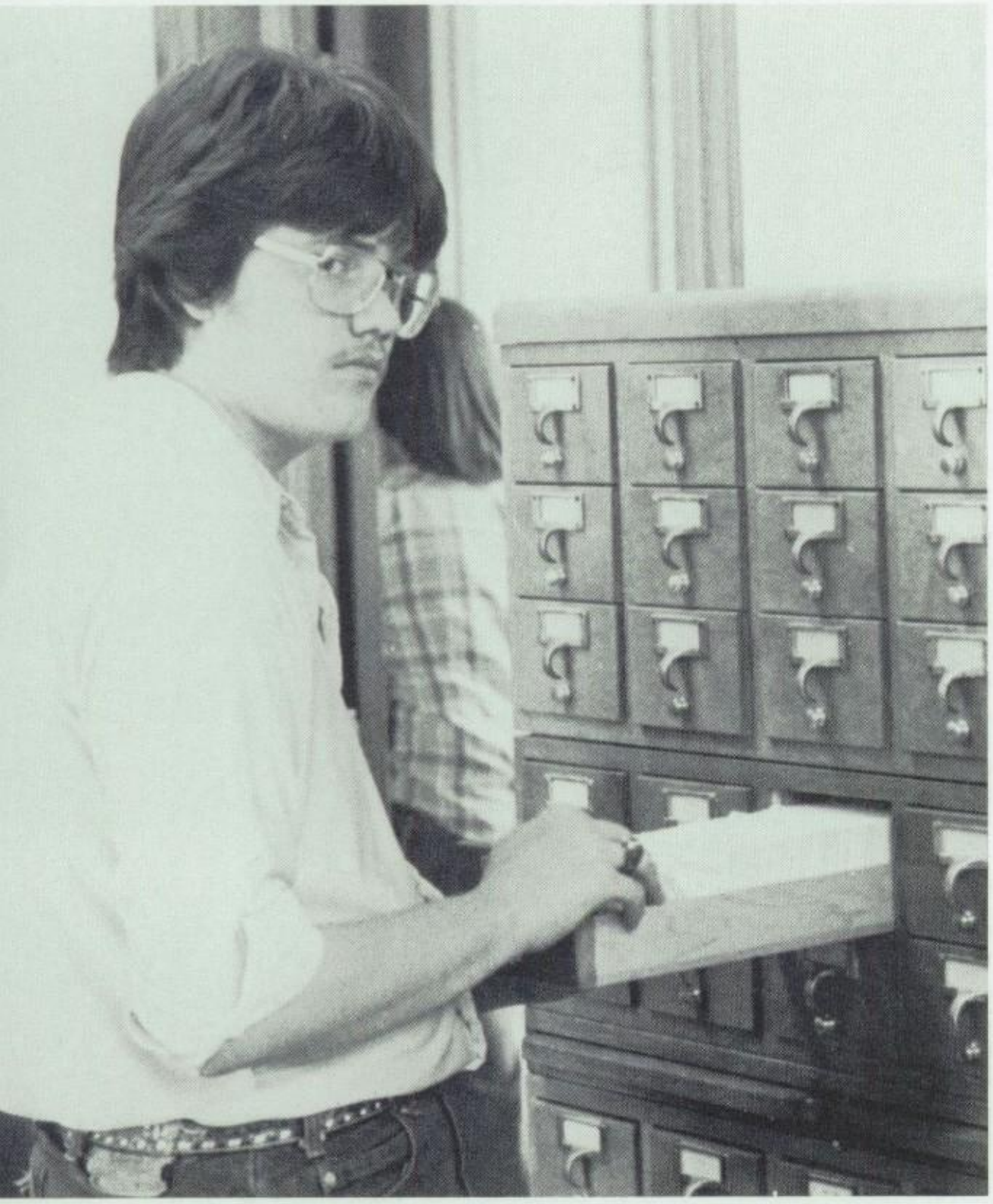
Have you ever noticed that after the last bell rings at 3:15, not everyone goes riding around or waits for a bus?

Well, G.H.S.'s Working Students don't mess around; they get down to business. While the rest of the students are out running around, they are working to earn extra money for nice cars, name brand clothes, fun dates, or to play Pac Man.

However, money is not all these students get out of working. They are also discovering their skills and making decisions about what they want to make of themselves in the future.

Terry wishes he was out partying ins of stocking potatoes.

Right: Lane is "aligning" his future at the bus barn.



Michael wonders if he really wants to keep working at the public library after he graduates.

Bobby takes time out to smile after a long day at work for the City of Gladewater.

Juniors Make The Best Of I

Not everyone realizes how hard the junior class worked throughout the entire year in order to finance a prom enjoyable to both juniors and seniors.

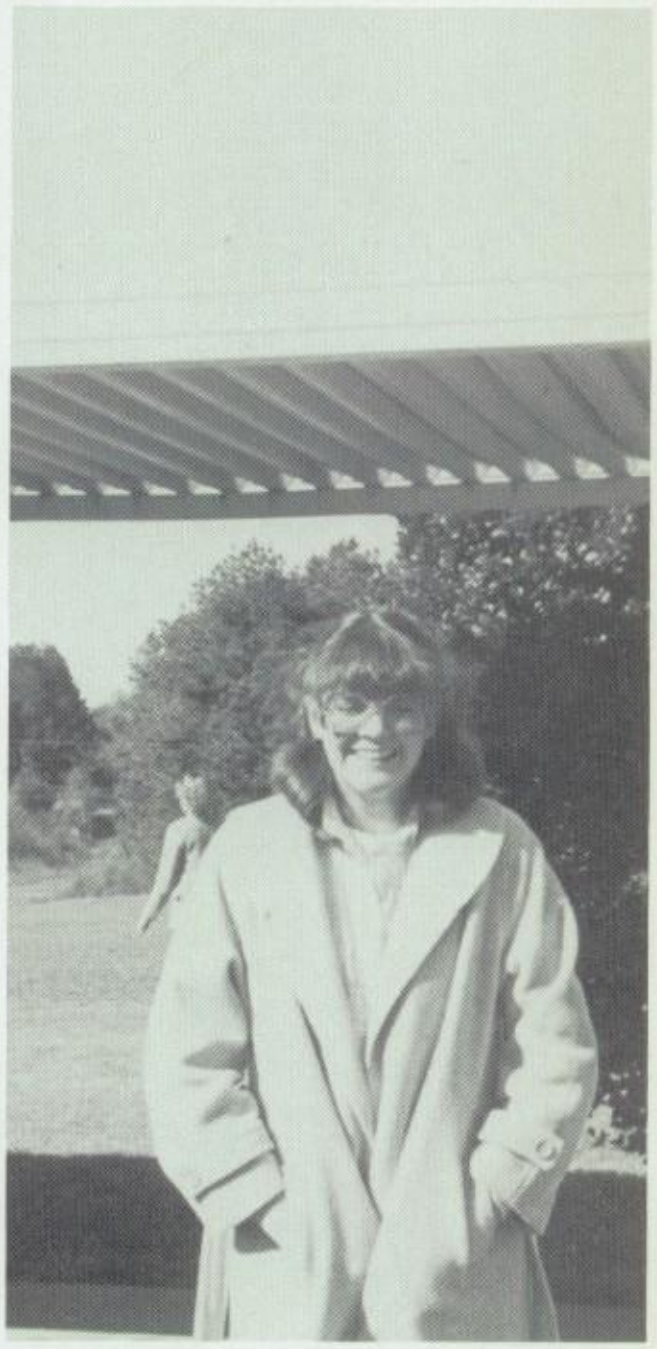
Activities played a major part in the schedules of juniors. To help their projects run smoothly the juniors were sponsored by Coach Gaddis, Mr. McQueen, Mr. Blasingame, Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. Hiner, Mrs. Patton, and Mrs. Wilson. Projects ranged from the selling of football ribbons and mums, to concession stand sales at basketball games and track meets. Along with hard work came a few pleasurable moments away from class.

On the way to the pep rally Stacy tells Nikki her role in the plan to win the s stick.

Juniors gladly take a break from class to participate in the sign painting contest in which they won second place.

Cindy prepares herself to sell ribbons the regional game against Paul Pewitt

Left: Darlene and Kelly express their true feelings about losing the spirit stick to the Seniors.
Below: Laura shows her pride in selling the most mums.



ch Gaddis takes a final look over ribbon sale route in order to get s perfect.

Sherry is as shocked as Melvis that someone actually bought her a mum.

Juniors And Seniors Go Sailing At The Prom

The prom was an annual event the Juniors held in honor of the Seniors. The theme of sailing was carried out through the Heritage Ballroom in Longview.

Seashells, Starfish, yards of fishnet, a sailboat and light-hous served as a backdrop for th pictures.

Highlights of the evening wer the readings of the will an prophecy.

Right: Susan is just too tired to help Rodger and Kenneth unload.
Below: Rodney questions Karen's prophecy on a few seniors.

Willing their abilities to Juniors, Betty and Randy kept the audience guessing.

Taking a moment from dancing, Chad and Sharon enjoy cool refreshments.

enior sister, Karen, gives Junior brother, Randy, important and helpful advice or a successful evening.

It's The Laughter . . .

As the final days of school dwindled away, the Senior class grew excited about their Senior week activities. School was finally over and the fun could now begin.

Senior activities officially began with the trip to Six Flags. Everyone dreaded the long trip, but we had an exciting and fun-filled night. The all-night bowling party, then breakfast completed prom night.

Monday the fun started off with a hayride and weiner-roast. Tuesday's fun included a play-day at the park, softball and frisbee were the games of the day and chicken was served for lunch. The day at Crystal Springs was a big success and everyone experienced fun in the sun. Thursday brought the pain of sunburned bodies, and the excitement ended with a swimming party at Gladewater.

Sharon, Elaine, M

Lynne and Karen show off their new car at Six Flags.

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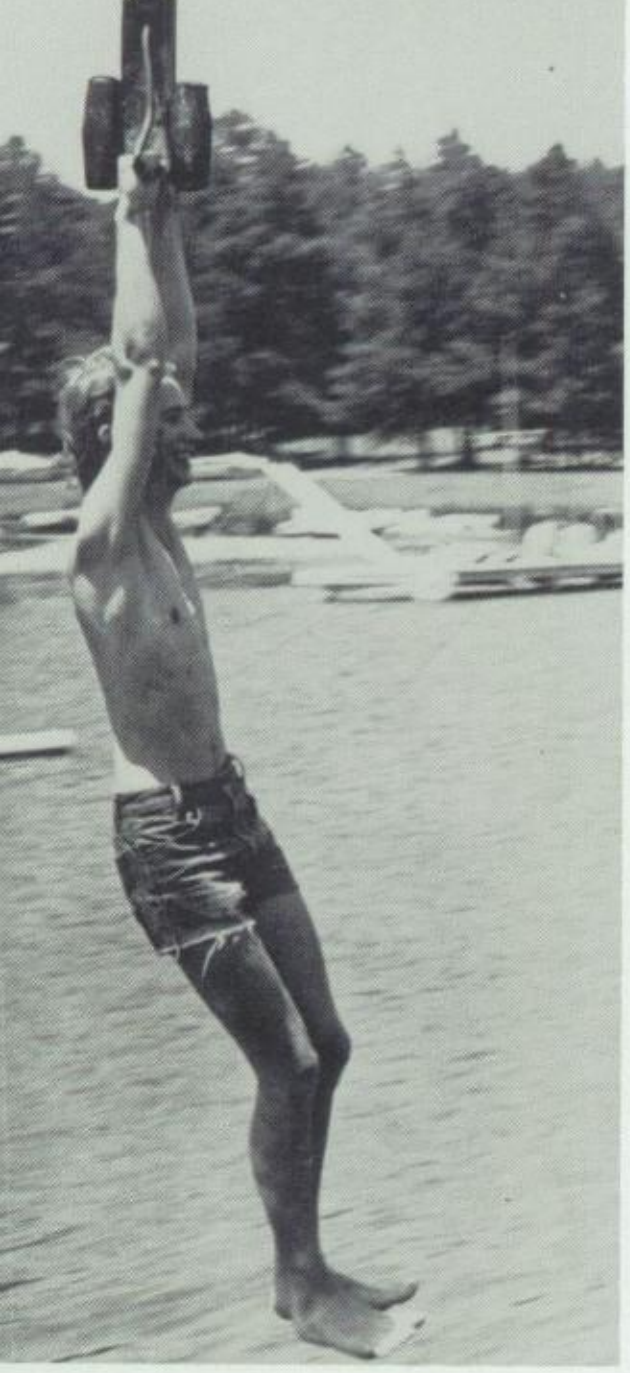
Everyone waits their turn at bat.

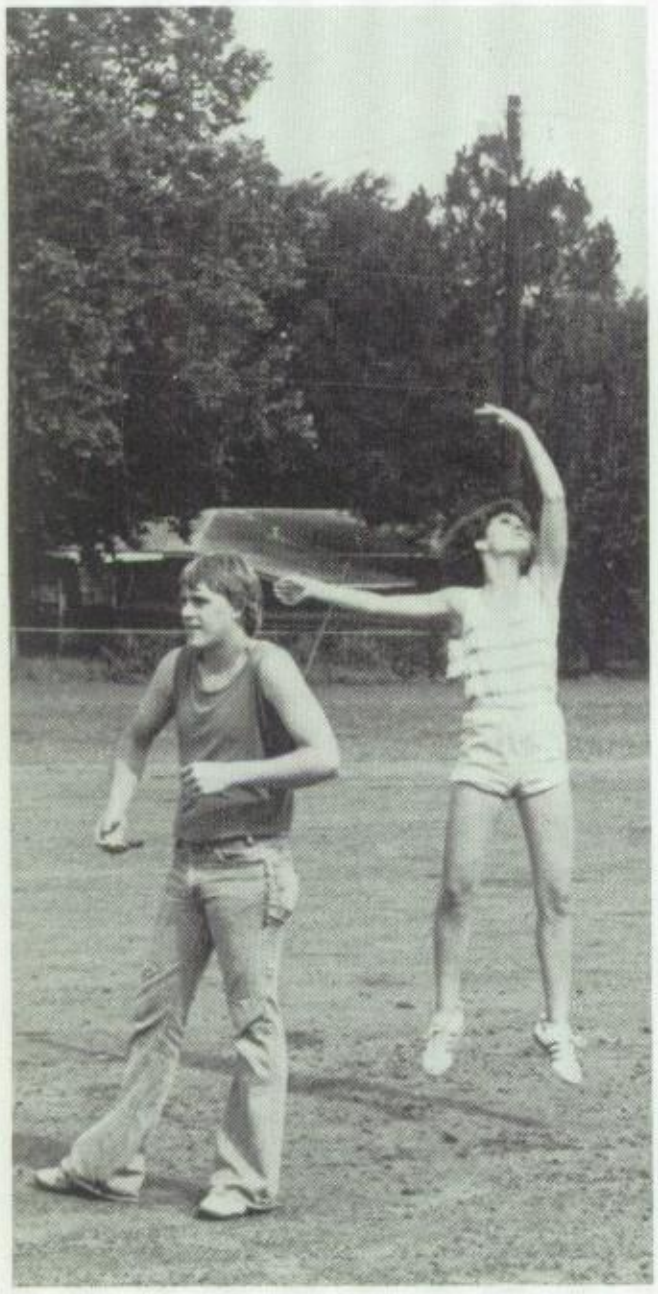


en rides the trolly at Crystal Springs.

. . . We Will Remember

Besides all the organized activity, the memories will include other times of last fellowship with our classmates.

We played hard and lost many hours of sleep but the happiness that we shared during this time will always remain with us. The memories of these good times will always overshadow the sadness of our departure after graduation as we remember the way we were.



Donny and Laura play frisbee at the park.

Terry takes a plunge into the Crystal Springs lake.

Barry finally makes it to home base.

Karen takes time to show off her strength at Six Flags.

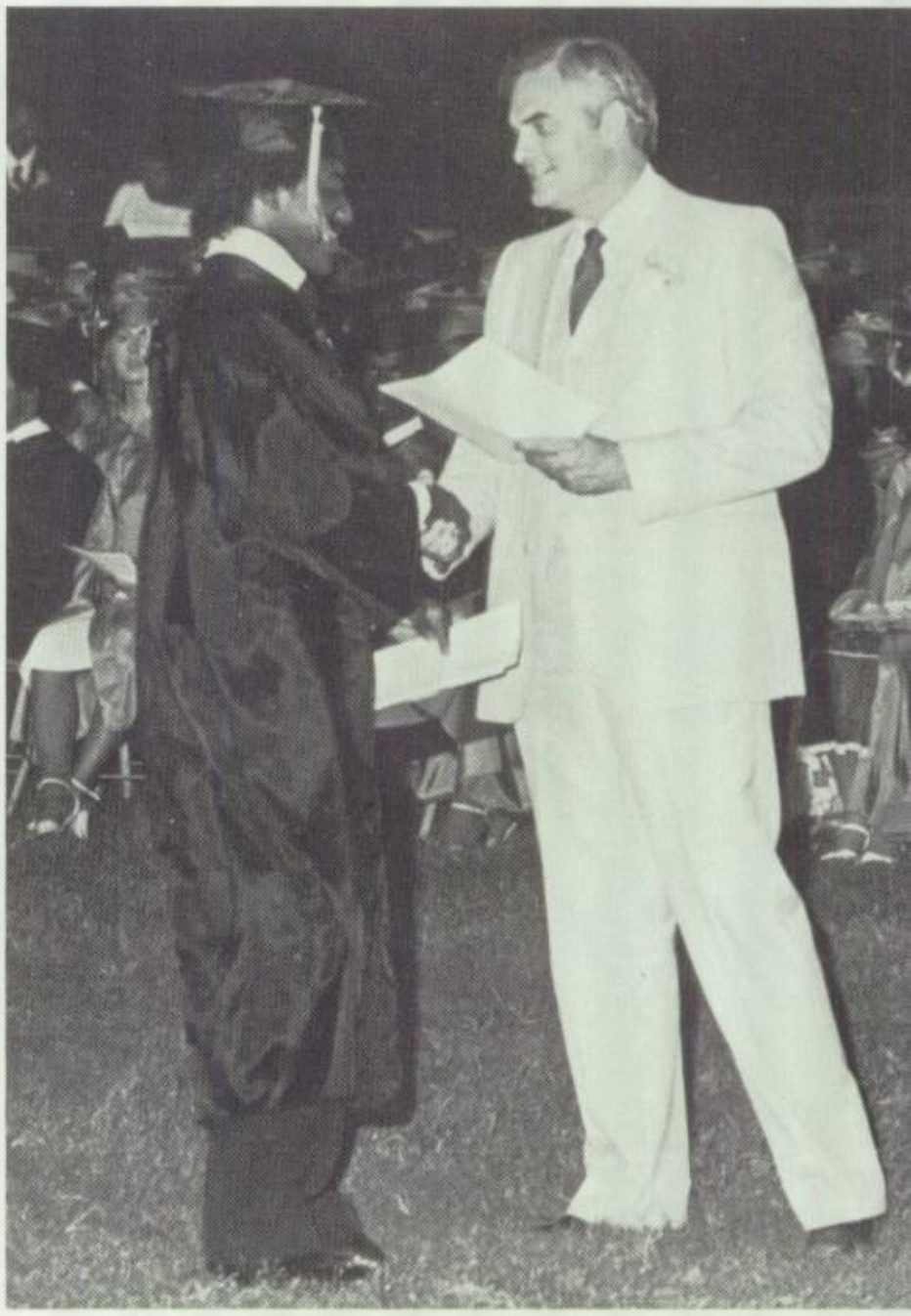
ne and Jim fall down the water slide
Crystal Springs.

Seniors enjoy a cook-out at Holly Lake.

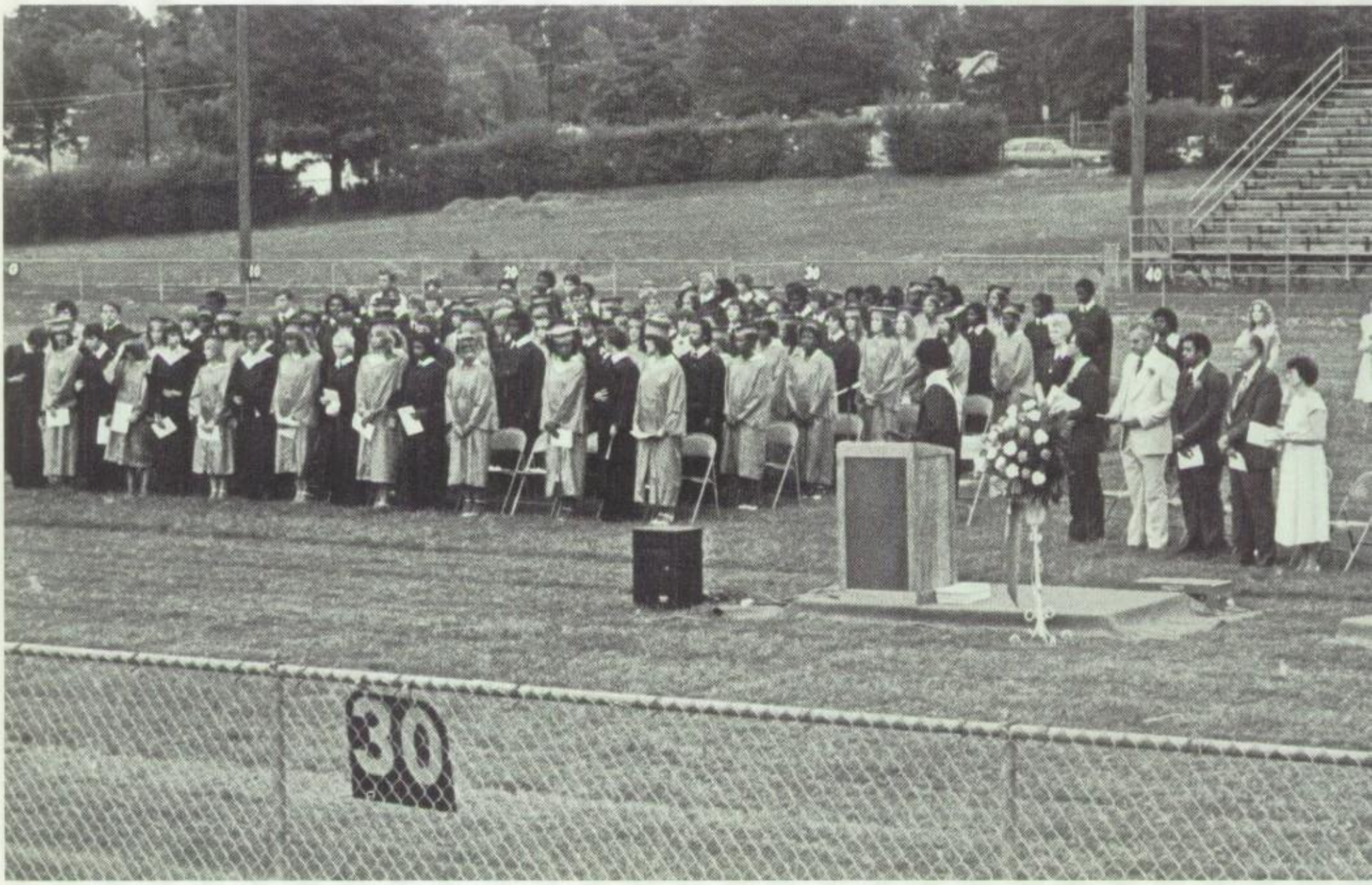
Traditional Graduation Returns To G.H.S.

As the controversial graduation began, there was a feeling of anticipation in the air. The tension was felt by everyone. This year was to be a first, not only were the usual dignitaries on the field, but they were accompanied by the Senior sponsors. Tradition was also broken by the graduates wearing black and orange robes, and by leaving the field after receiving diplomas.

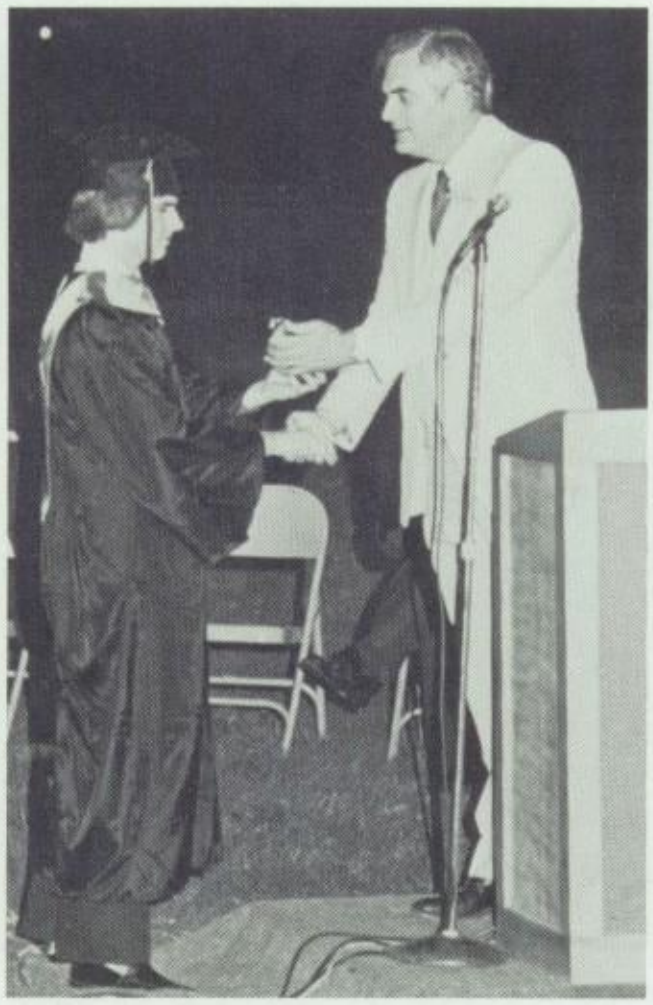
In lieu of a dance, the graduates and their families were honored with a reception in the cafeteria which provided opportunities for congratulations and well wishes. It was a memorable occasion; the graduates proved that graduation could be a dignified ceremony, as well as a beautiful one.



Cassius Elder graciously receives his diploma from Cockrill.



ren Monk receives the Highest Rank-
Girl Award.



John Bullock is named Salutatorian.

Jim Patterson is honored as Valedictorian.

Graduation proceeds with the presentation of diplomas.

Above: Cyndi Phillips is bewildered by her collar tabs.
Left: A group of Senior boys gladly try on their caps.

Focus On . . . Seniors

Special thanks to Barry Turner for his assistance to the Buckeye staff at deadline.

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ACADEMICS

Learning Can Be Fun

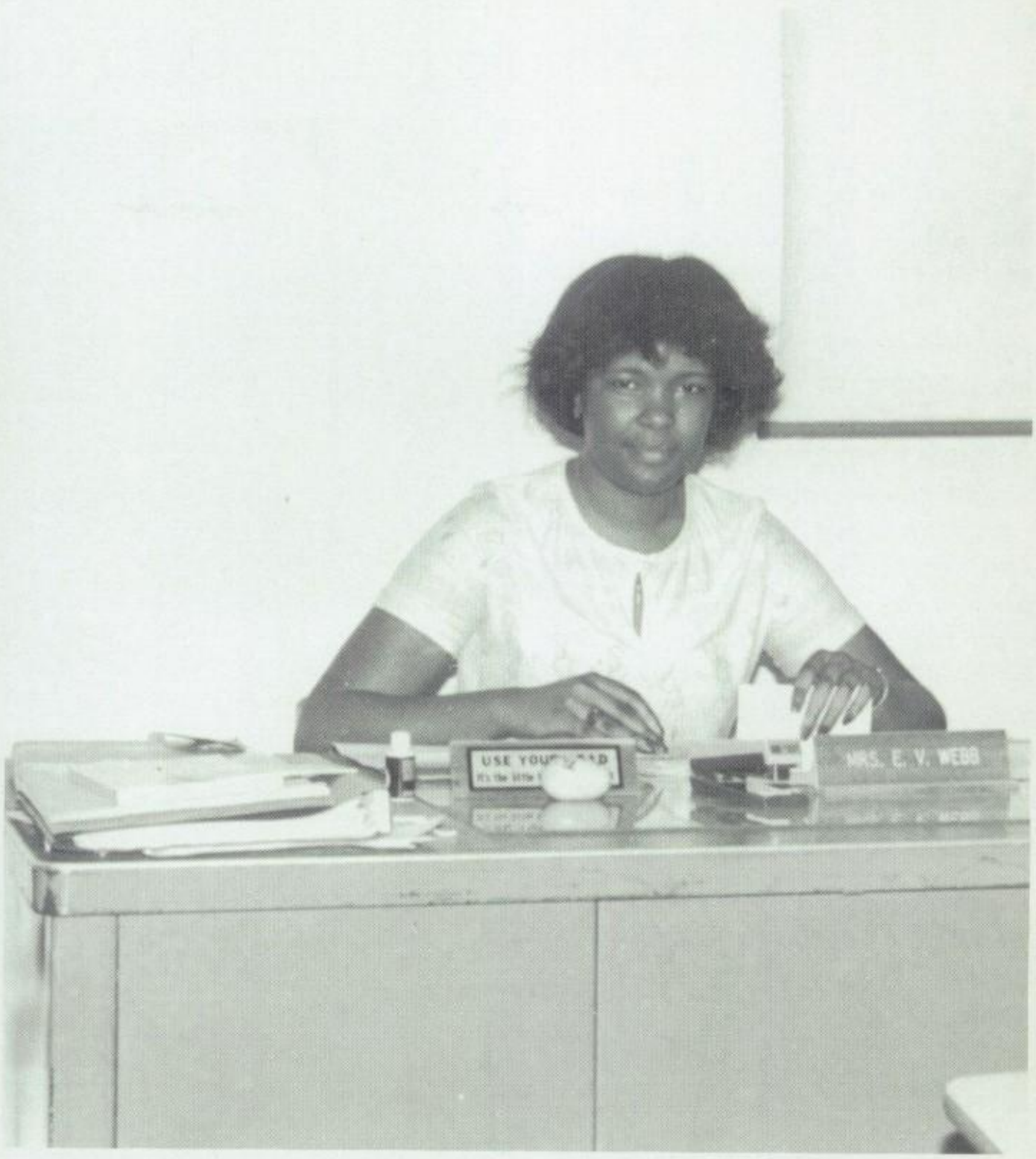
Some people consider learning something to be tolerated but not enjoyed, but many students at G.H.S. have found this to be untrue. They have found that by mixing learning with fun, pleasurable results can be attained. Various ways have been used to remove some of the boredom associated with school work, and most students have discovered that school does not have to be such a bad place after all.

Chad Wren, Marty Hodges, and Randy Monk prepare to eat their porridge i scene from Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

Donny Hayes finds out that dissecting a pig can be a nauseating experience.

Sharon Simmons narrates Goldilocks the Three Bears.

ell Waters gives a dramatic
ing for his English class.



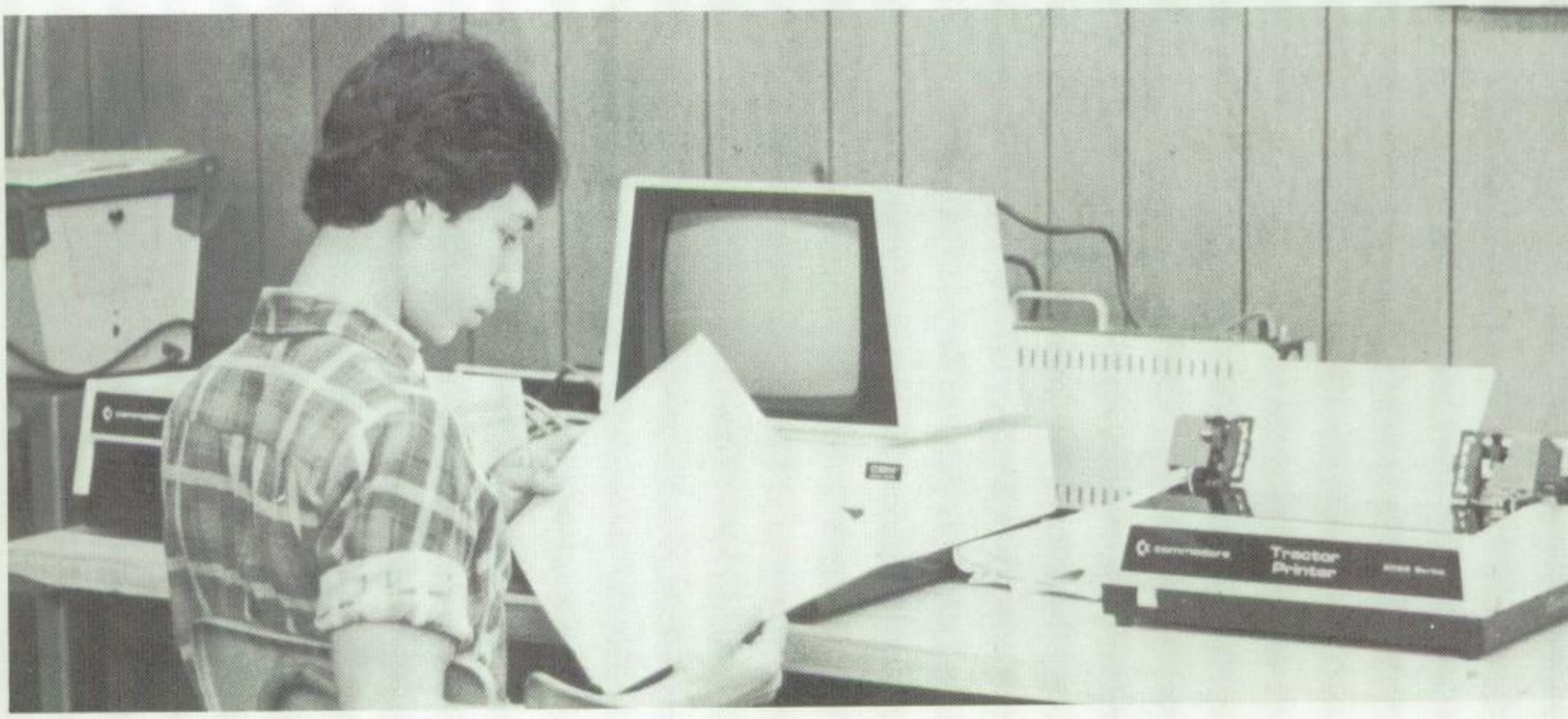
Deborah Newsome dreams of the day when she will be a teacher.

is Brown expresses confidence that his research paper is the best one in the

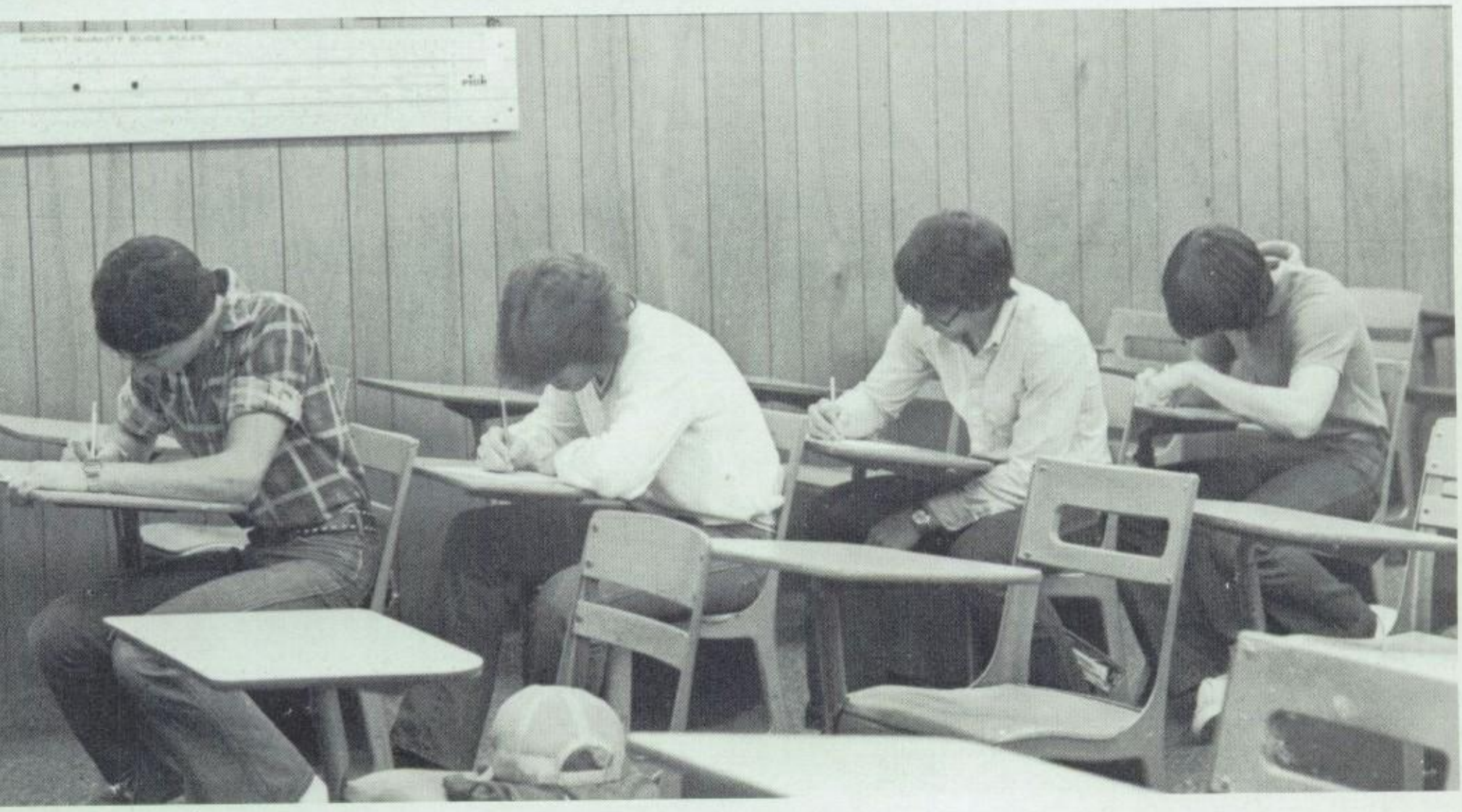
Technology Comes to G.H.S.

Computers were introduced, finally! This was the first year for any kind of course dealing with computers. The course began to take the mystery out of computers and to give students a knowledge of the basics of programming. Computers made possible the explorations that we would never attempt with only pencil and paper. Our computer courses will play an increasingly important role since most students will someday have computers in their homes and will transact most of their business using them. The possibilities are unlimited.

Right: Wallace and Chris choose a difficult problem to challenge the mastermind computer.
Below: Wallace worked the problem several times but never agreed with the computer.



Left: Gary struggles over a problem as Jim advises him it would be easier to use the computer.
Below: Before the computer or even the smallest calculator, everyone had to really apply himself to solve a problem.

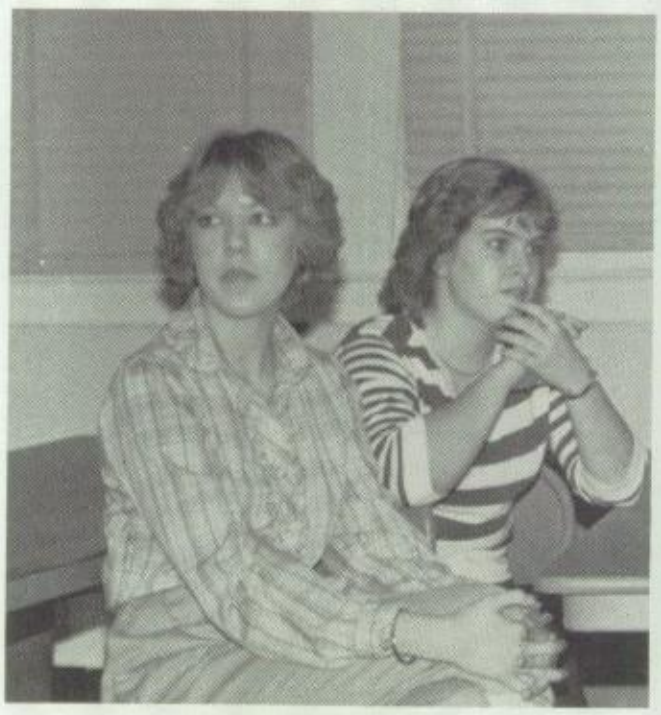


Left: Wallace and Chris, after mastering control, find the computer a lot of fun as well as challenging.

Hard Work Pays Off

Practice makes perfect. This statement entered the minds of the UIL participants. They believed that practicing would provide a time for recognition of achievements. With hopes held high, students traveled to Tyler Junior College in April to compete in the UIL Literary Events. High spirits were honored when results were posted, and after a year with only one UIL District winner, there were 12 participants to represent Gilmer at Regional. The work put in by these students paid off.

Teresa, Peggy, Frankie, and Paulette wait for instruction on where to go for their Prose Reading.



Above: Kim, Veronica, and Melissa believe that practice does make perfect.
Far right: Peggy psychs herself up before her Prose Reading.
Right: Lynne and Veronica wait impatiently for the final results in the Journalism contest.

For UIL Participants

demonstrates the proper way to hold his for UIL Prose Reading.

Kim, Melissa, and Veronica recite their poetry for contest.

Far left: Paulette tries to persuade herself that she can do a persuasive speech.
Above: Mrs. Neely and UIL participants Morris, Steve, Peggy, Frankie, Paulette, Veronica, and Teresa.
Left: Wendy finds time to relax after working so hard on her newswriting in Journalism.

A Look Over The Wall

The U.I.L. one act play titled "The Other Side Of The Wall" was a futuristic fantasy that dealt with two different societies. One society believed the wall stood for devotion while the other believed it stood for defense. At the beginning of the play the impression was given that the world was so advanced that we destroyed it.

A member from each society met and tried to discover who was right and who was wrong. It was discovered both societies were wrong and hopefully there was a ray of hope for each society to amend its ways.

Cast: Kneeling: P. Lawler, K. Monk, K. Stevens, S. Gipson, A. Clemens, T. S *Second Row:* M. Brown, J. Simpson, C. Wren, T. Smith. *Standing:* S. Jones Martin.

Above: The three nymphs discuss their devotion to the wall.
Right: Chad and Chris confront each other in a scene from the play.
Far Right: Stage Crew: *Bottom Row:* R. Graham, S. Stillman, F. Derrick, A. Smith. *Second Row:* C. Gunter, S. Arrington, P. Jackson, D. Blasingame.

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CLASSES

Seniors For A Year, But Friends Forever

Memories . . . The Seniors had an exciting and eventful year. Memories to last a lifetime. A winning football team filled the heart and soul of every Senior with spirit and enthusiasm. As graduation drew near and the countdown of final days at GHS had begun, we had to savor and cherish every moment we had left together. At times we felt as though we would never make it, but we survived . . . Graduation Day. With mixed emotions, we parted our separate ways. We were parted by our individualism and different goals, but we knew we would always be united by all the memories we had shared throughout the years and all the things we held so dear. Seniors for a year, but friends forever.

Bart Arrington

Donny Arrick

Rodney Baker

Jimmy Bennett

Twyla Berry

Danna Blasingame

Kelly Blasingame

George Borens

Kay Brown

Carolyn Buie

John Bullock

Randy Burris

Robbie Campbell

Lisa Carpenter

Laura wonders if eighteen will be as sweet as sixteen.

John Cavitt

Amy Clemens

Dina Dailey

Eric Davis

Jerry Davis

Johnny Davis

Leland Davis

Lori Davis

Lorena Dawson

Jackie Derrick

Bobby Doddy

Tina Doddy

Alex Easley

Cassius Elder

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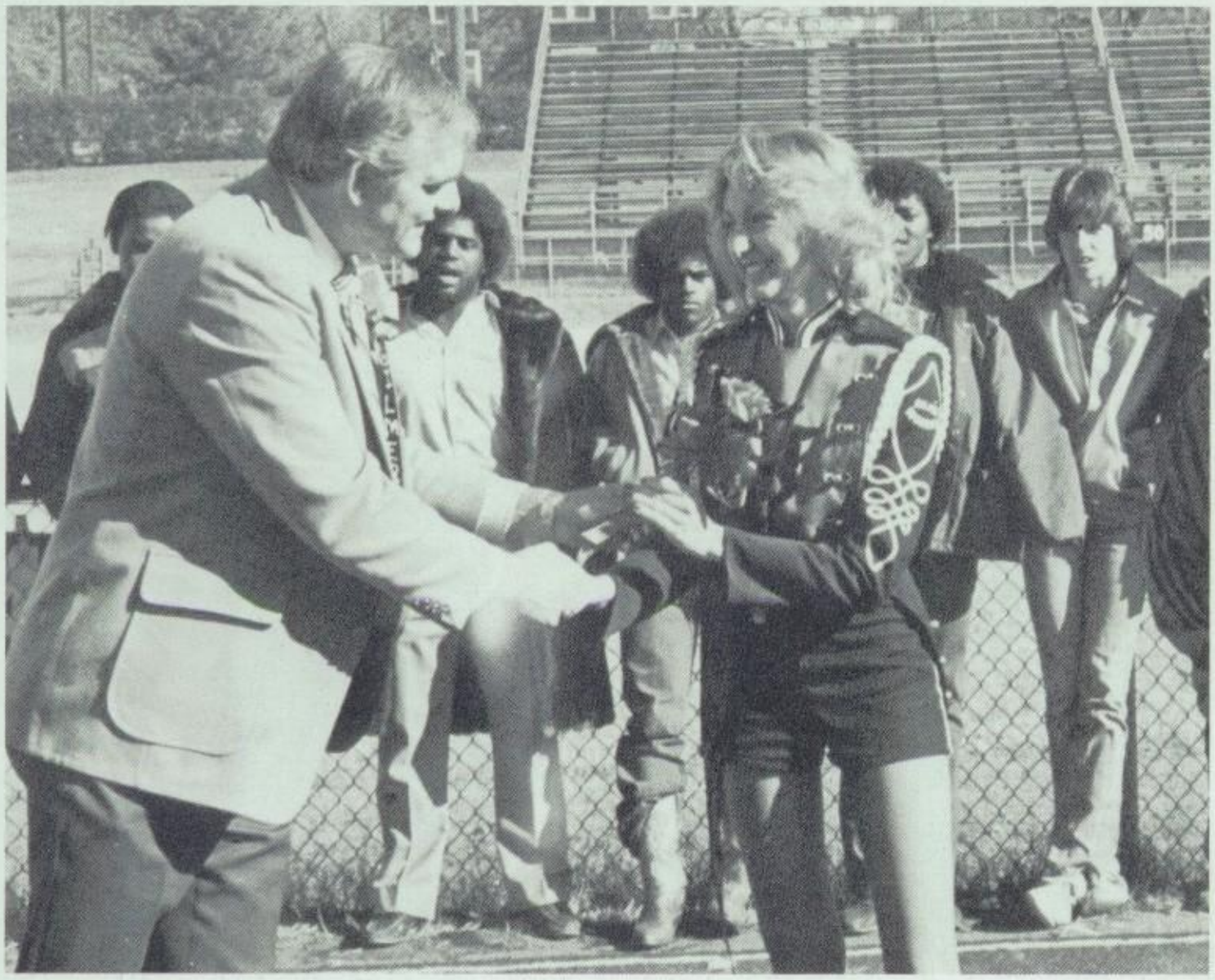
Wallace Flowers

Michael Ford

Mike Gee



Mr. Cockrill presents a red rose to Senior Drum Major Sam Mooney.

Debbie Gilliam

Gary Gipson

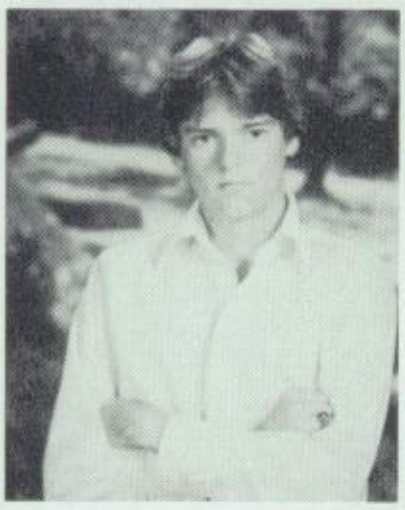
Donna Gordon

Deborah Graham

Dexter Graham

Kecia Granville

Bobby Griffith



Scott Hall

Annette Hamberlin

Luana Henry

assius and Darla proudly display the Quarterfinal trophy after the Wylie
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Alan Henson

Marty Hodges

Windell Hollis

Edward Hopkins

Susie Jackson

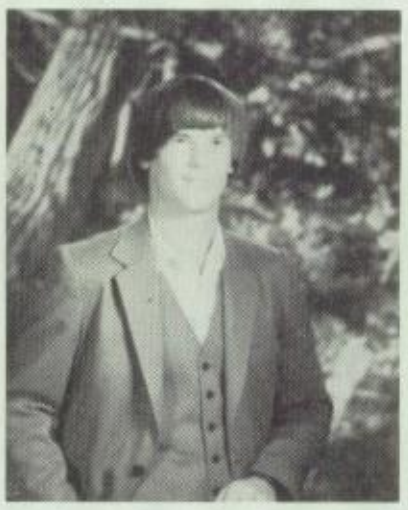
Marcia Johnson

Annie Jones

Lisa Jones

Roy Jones

Barbara King



Bill Kirschke

Glen Leach

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Teresa Long

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Esther Loy

Laura Martin

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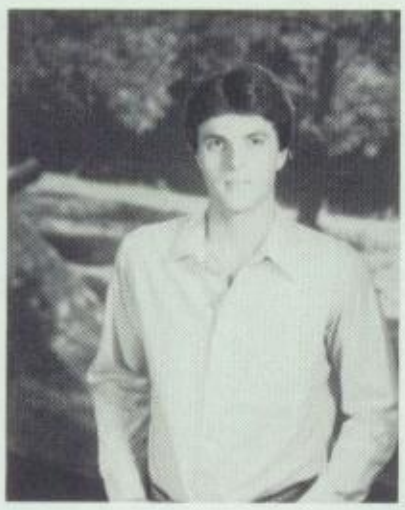
Debra Mayhan

Randy McDonald

Adra Meadows

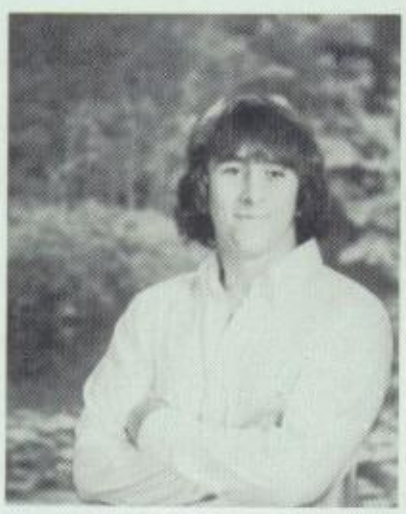


Danny Medlin

Ronald Meister

Karen Monk

Sam Mooney



Charlie Moore

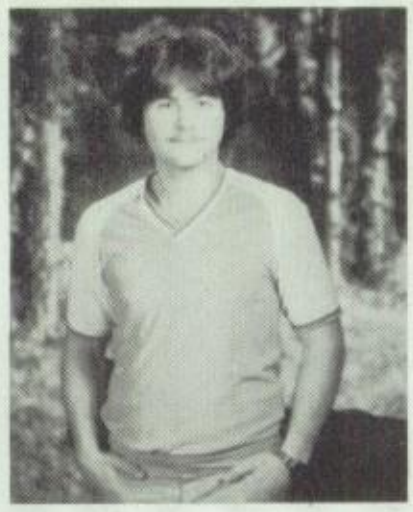
Tracy Moore

Angela Morgan

Les Morris

Larry Nelson

Deborah Newsome



Michael O'Connor

Kevin O'Neal

Mike Owens

Renae Palmer

Jim Patterson

Kris Perkins

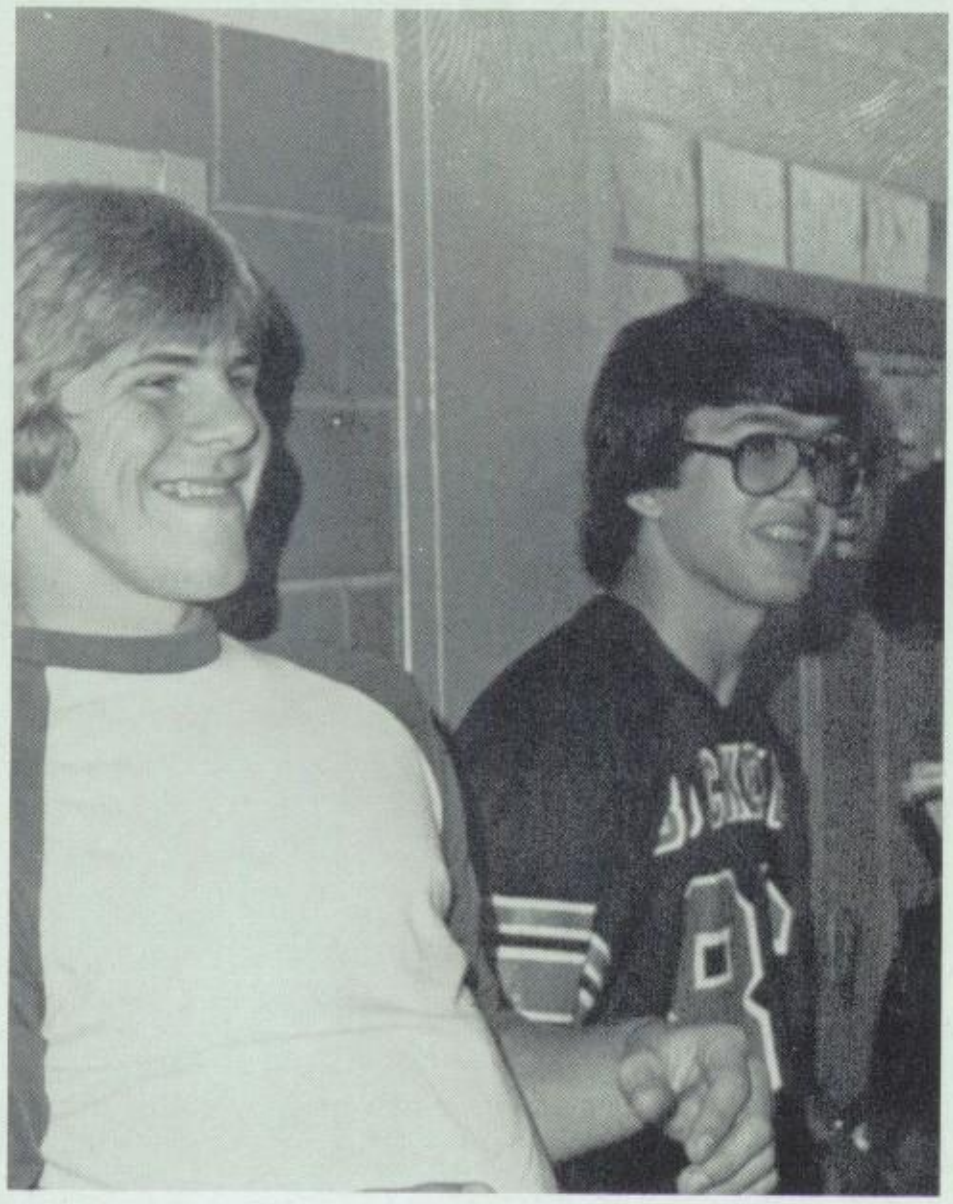
Debbie wonders if English will be this boring all year long.

Cyndi Phillips

Terry Pitman

Kevin Porter

Stacy Richardson



Rodney and Jim prepare their speeches for the big pep rally.

Ray Settles

Chris Sievert

Sharon Simmons

Brenda Skinner

Betty Smith

Jane Smith

Marie Smith

Kim Stevens

Tim Stevens

.Mark Sustaire

Andre Tennison

Jerry Tennison

Rodriquez decides to take a break in the middle of practice.

Michael Tennison

Tina Thomason

Elaine Trotter

Barry Turner

Ben Tutt

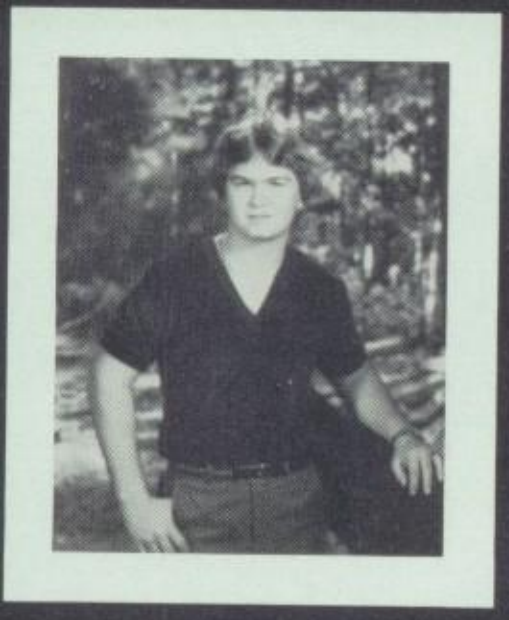
Russell Waters

Sherry Waters

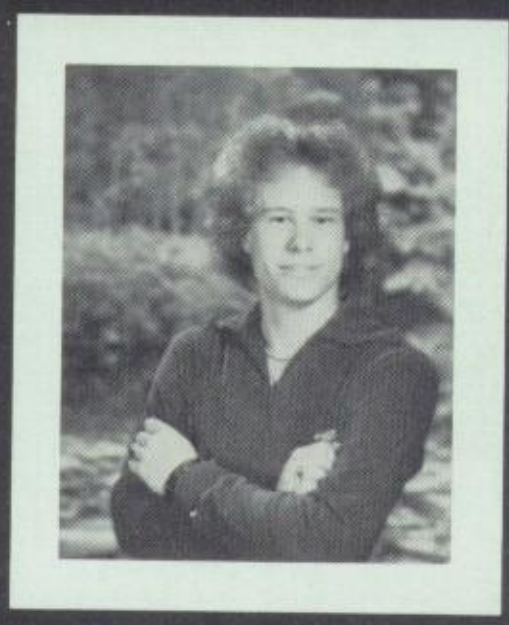
Darla Wayne

Charles Williams

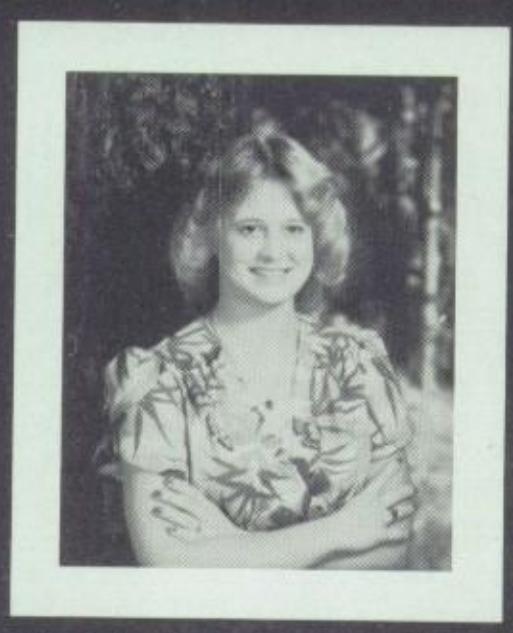
Lane Williams



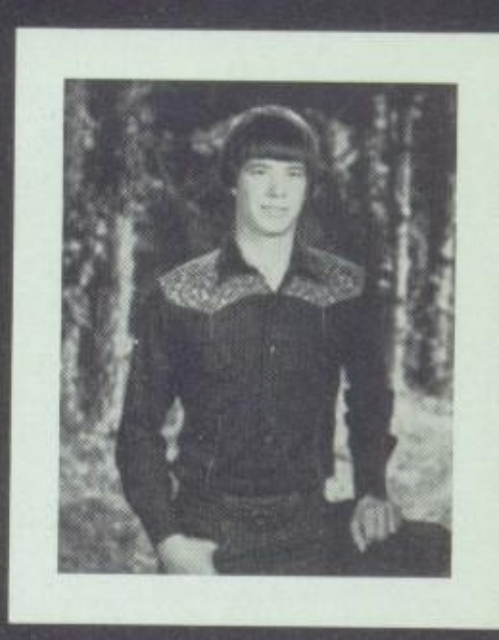
Leo Williams



Ken Wisdom

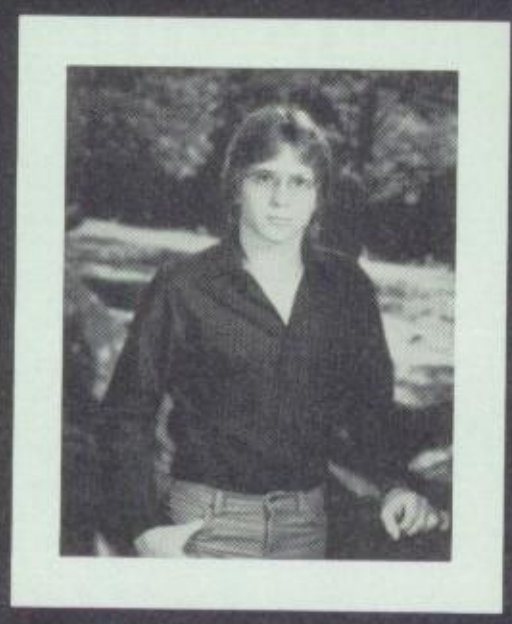


Kristy Wisdom



Walter Witcher

Gina Yates



Ronald Yazell

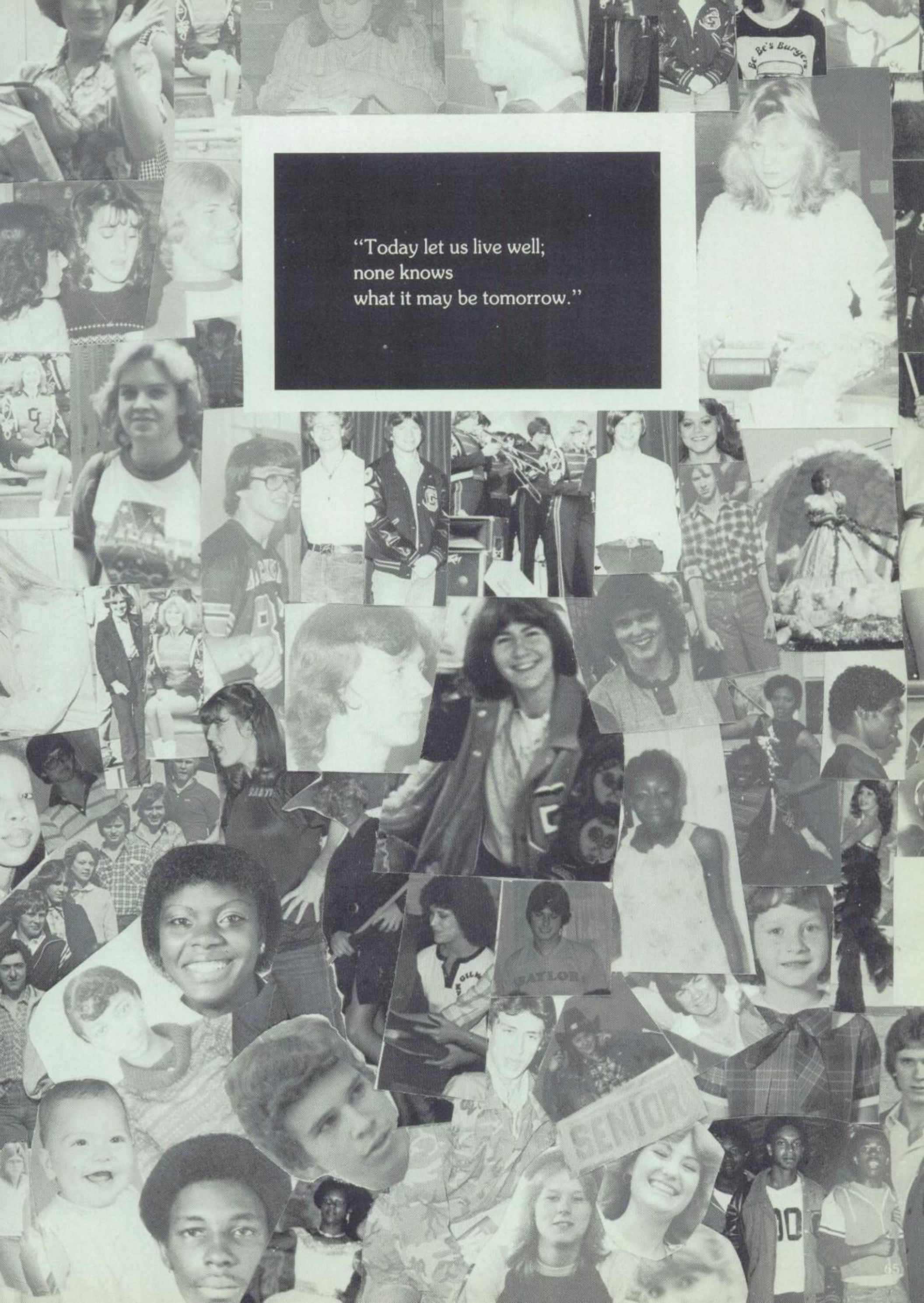
Class Officers: Dina Dailey, Reporter; Sharon Simmons, Secretary; Randy Burris, Vice-Pres.; Marty Hodges, President.

Senior Class Favorites

Darla Wayne

Cassius Elde

Runners-up: Kelly Blasingame and Jim Patterson



"Today let us live well;
none knows
what it may be tomorrow."

Juniors Say, "Our Pride Is Showing!"

What comes to mind when you think of Juniors? Not just a group of students impatiently waiting to be Seniors. No, Juniors were a very active class. They worked hard to put on the best prom ever. Juniors were also avid supporters of the Buckeyes and were very proud of their classmates who play on that winning team. Everyo painted signs and everything sight from lockers to windows, to show school sp and keep companionship alive the Junior class. The highlight the year was the day the Sen Rings were finally delivered.

Class Favorites

Jimmy Hooper

Bonny Young

Runners-up

Teresa Johnson

David Cock

Teresa Adams

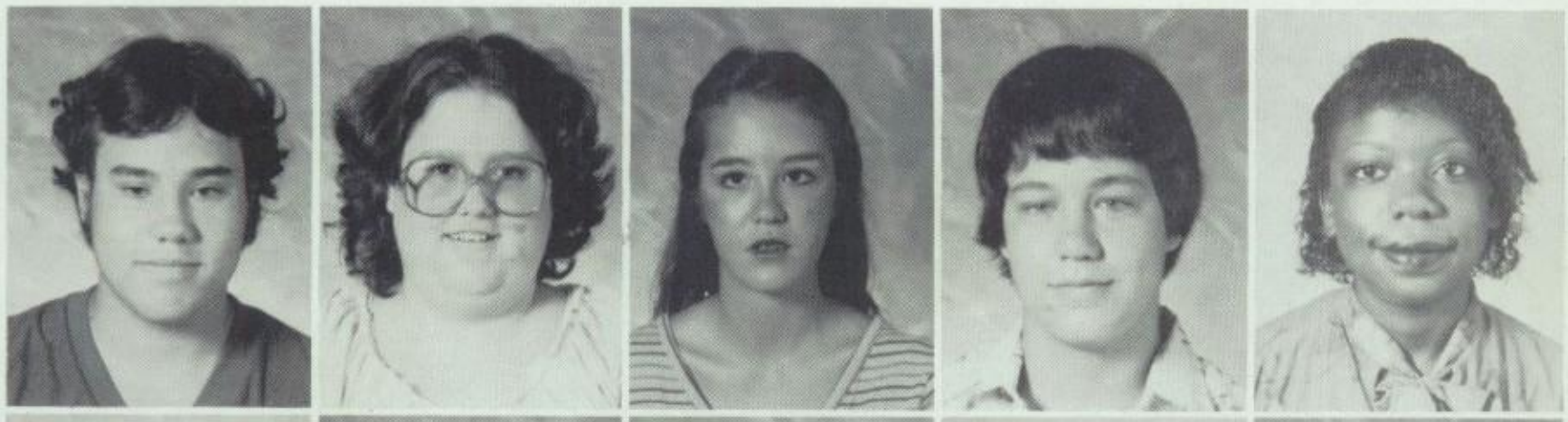
Jeannine Baldwin

Casey Bayer

Cherita Beasley

Shelia Berry

Jerry Black
Mary Black
sti Blasingame
Steve Bledsoe
Alene Bolton



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Donna Brooks
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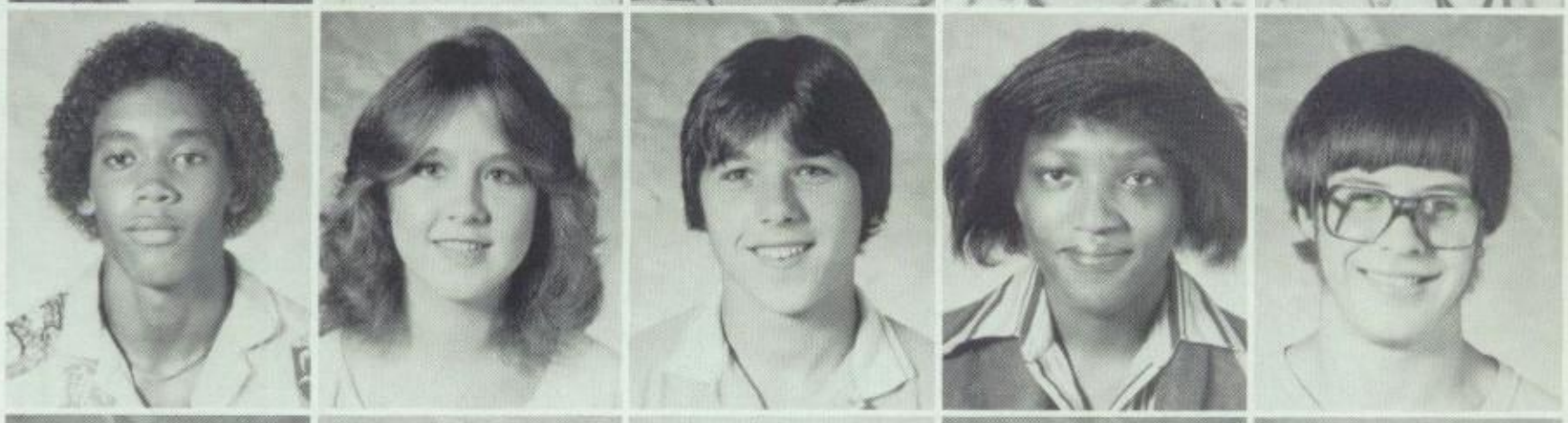

Doug Brown
Morris Brown
Jackie Bryant
ronica Bryant
Cindy Camp

Mike Carraher
aura Chandler
linda Clemons
Dean Coates
David Cockrill

Richard Collins

Regina Cude

Mr. Wright's class is trying to figure out a way to win the room decorating contest.

Greg Davidson
Nikki Davidson
Melvia Davis

Rodney Davis
Gayla Day
Kym Deason

Wilma Doddy
Melissa Fennell
JoAnn Fletcher
James Ford
Dellar Fluellen

Karen Holmes contemplates o
things besides English.

Edward Fluellen
Patti Gee
Kevin Gibson
Nancy Goodson
Curtis Grant

Eugene Gregory
Rusty Green
Sharon Griffin
Susan Gunn
Paul Hagler

Kerry Hahn
Reid Hall
Perry Harper
Jackie Hart
Shelley Hatley

Donny Hayes
Paulette Henson
Lisa Herndon
Darin Hollis
Karen Holmes

Brad Holt
Ronnie Hood
Jimmy Hooper
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John Howze

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Paula Jackson
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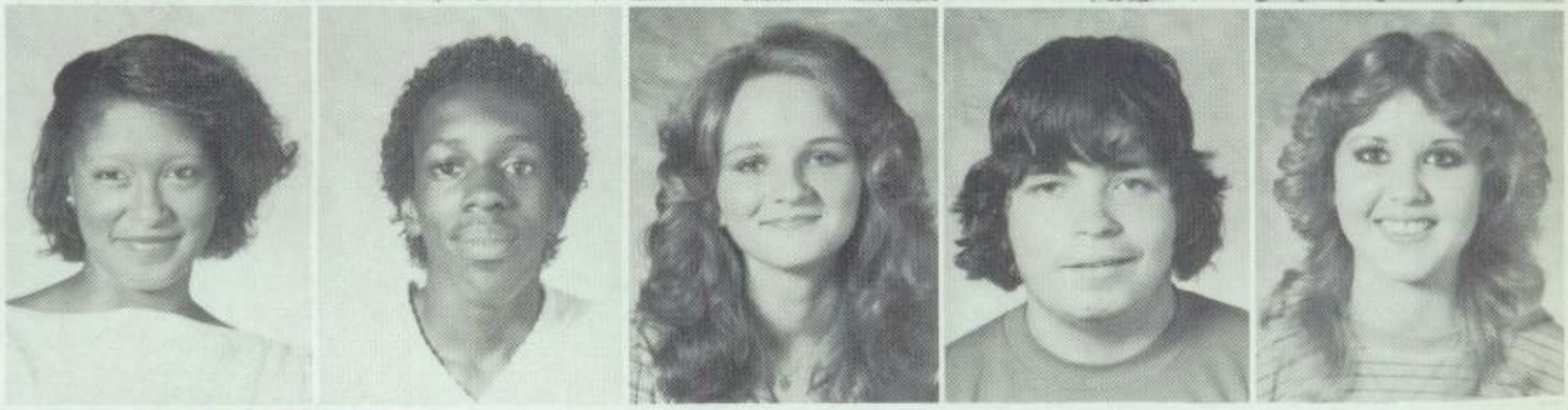
Maurice Johnson
Teresa Johnson

Angelia Jones
Aundra Jones
Kelly Jones
Mike Jones
Janis King

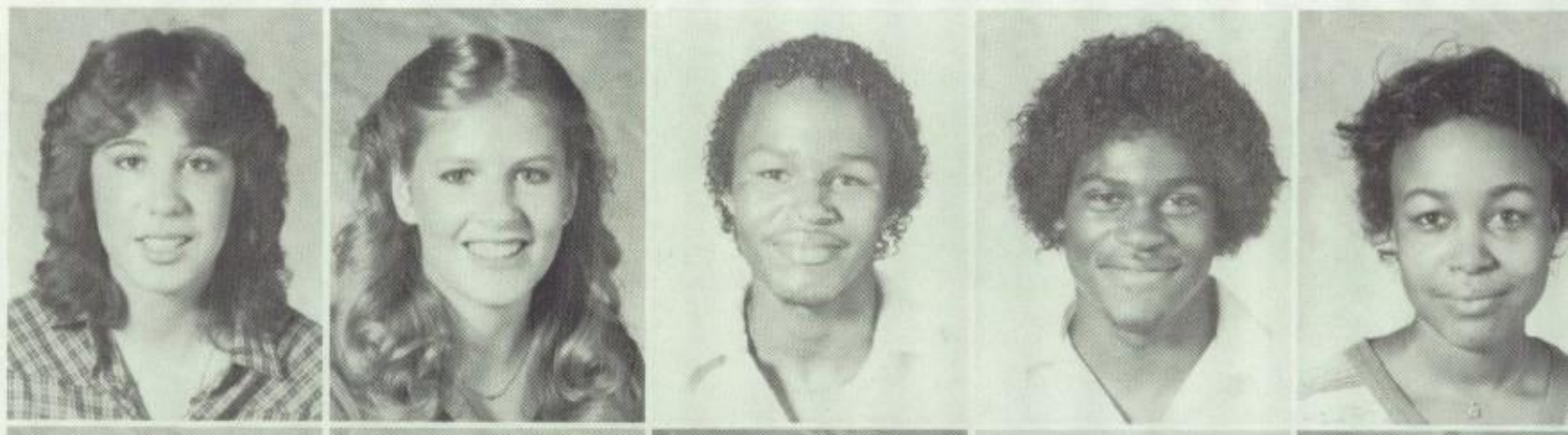


Lori Landon

Michele Laney

Regina and Cherita look forward to another exciting History lecture.

Stacy Lee
Lori Lenhart
Kenneth Lewis
Kevin Lewis
Rosalind Lewis



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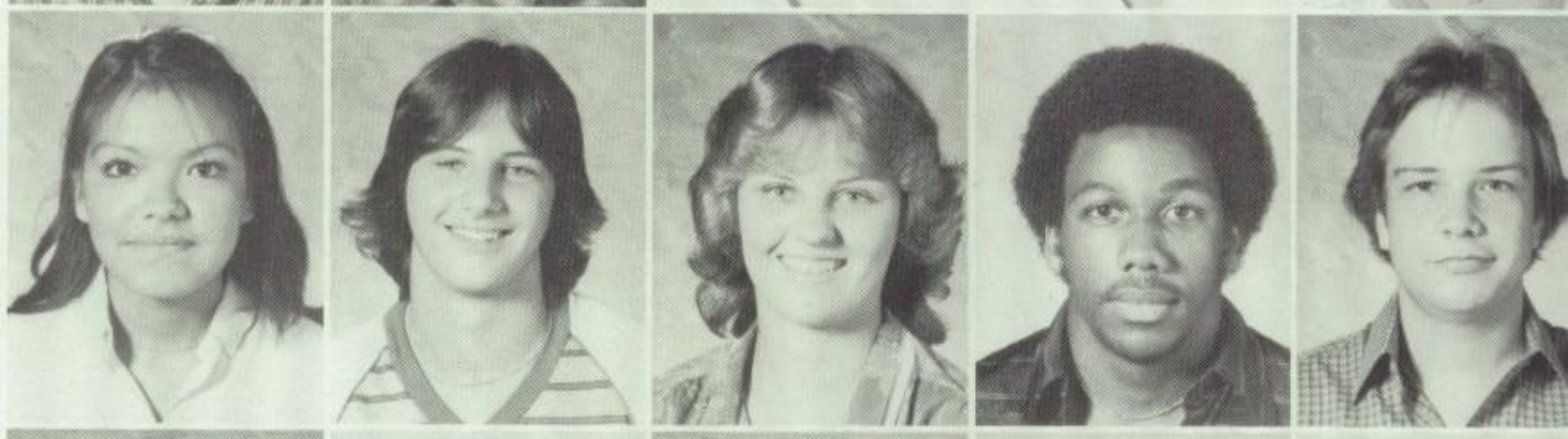
Glen McDuff
Tammy McDuff
Rodger McKnight
Chris Martin



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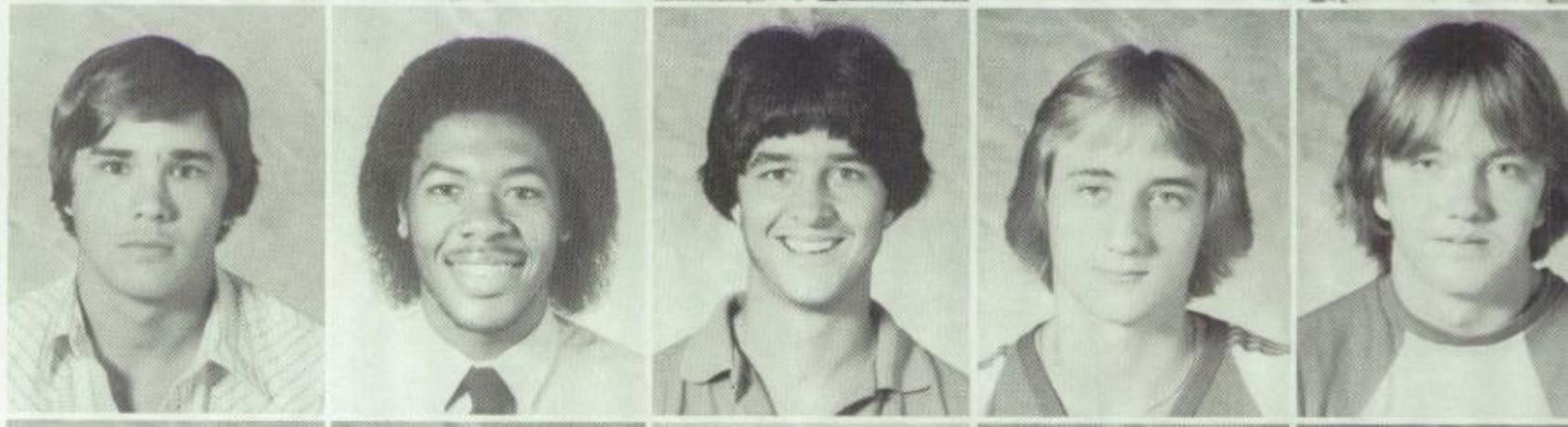
Patricia Moore

Robert Moore
Willie Moore
Daron Morgan
Doug Morris
Steve Nelson



James Nichols
Scott Nolan
Felisha Owens
Samantha Owens
Glynne Parish

Danny Phillips
Karen Pitman
Darrell Porter
Wendy Potter
Kent Powers

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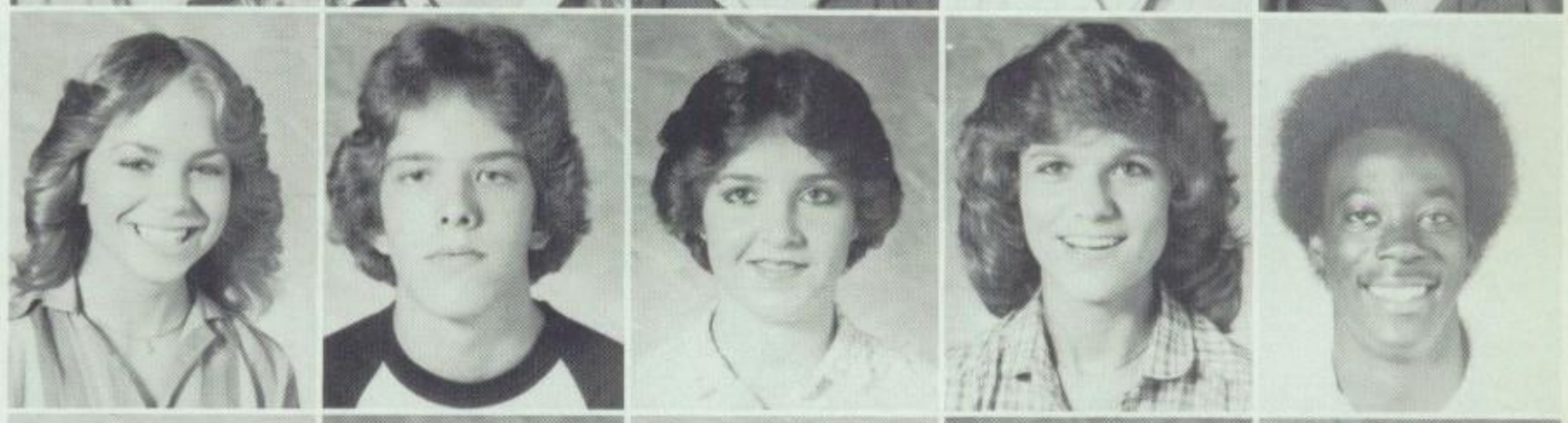
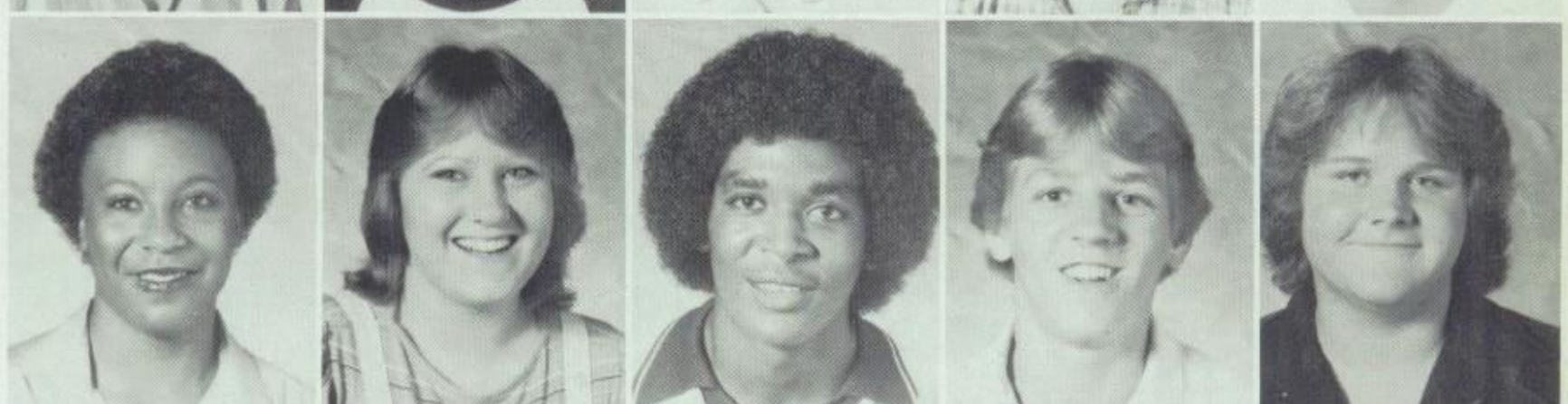
Jeff Reece
Dwight Reynolds
Philip Robinson
Susan Schoon

Susan Shafer
Jason Simpson
Teresa Sims
Kelly Sisson
Marrell Skinner



Mashell Skinner
Shannon Skipper
Chris Smith
Glade Smith
Karen Smith



Tommy Smith
Ray Smith
Tommy Spencer
Stella Stokes
Ricky Taff

Dwight Tanner
Larry Tave

Lisa Teffteller

Morris exclaims as always with great enthusiasm, "Get out of there!"

Class Officers

Front Row: Darellene Wilson, Darin Hollis, Karen Pitman *Back Row:* Danny Phillips, Rodney Davis, Dar Morgan

Peggy Tennison
Roszena Thompson
Rhonda Threadgill
Tammy Towery
Jane Ella Turner

Wendy Turner
James Venters
Sharon Venters
Joy Wade
Larry Wade

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Mike Welden
Kelly White
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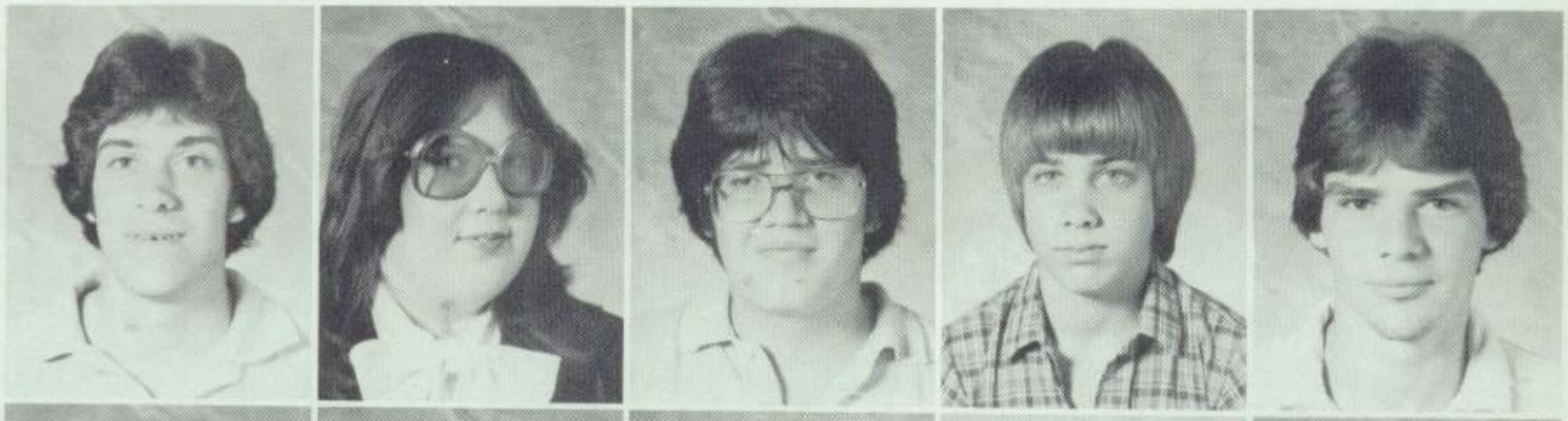

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Chad Wren

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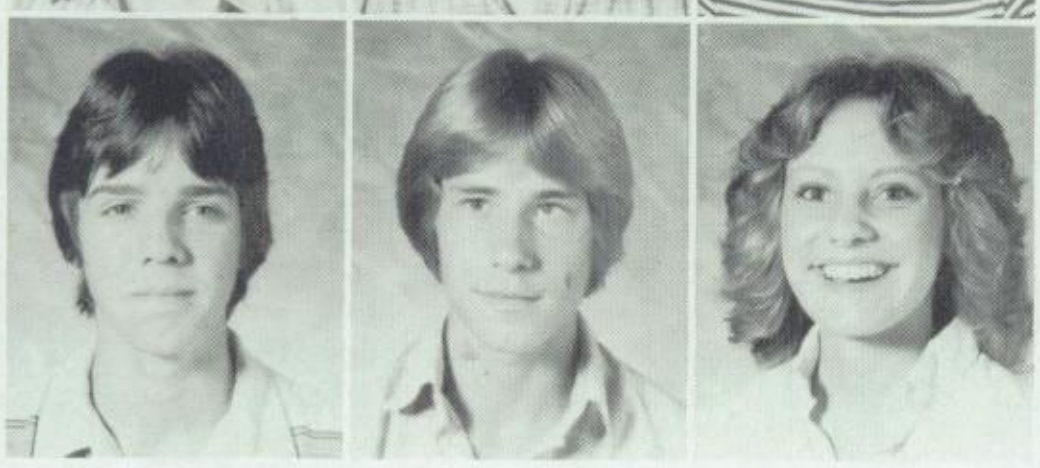
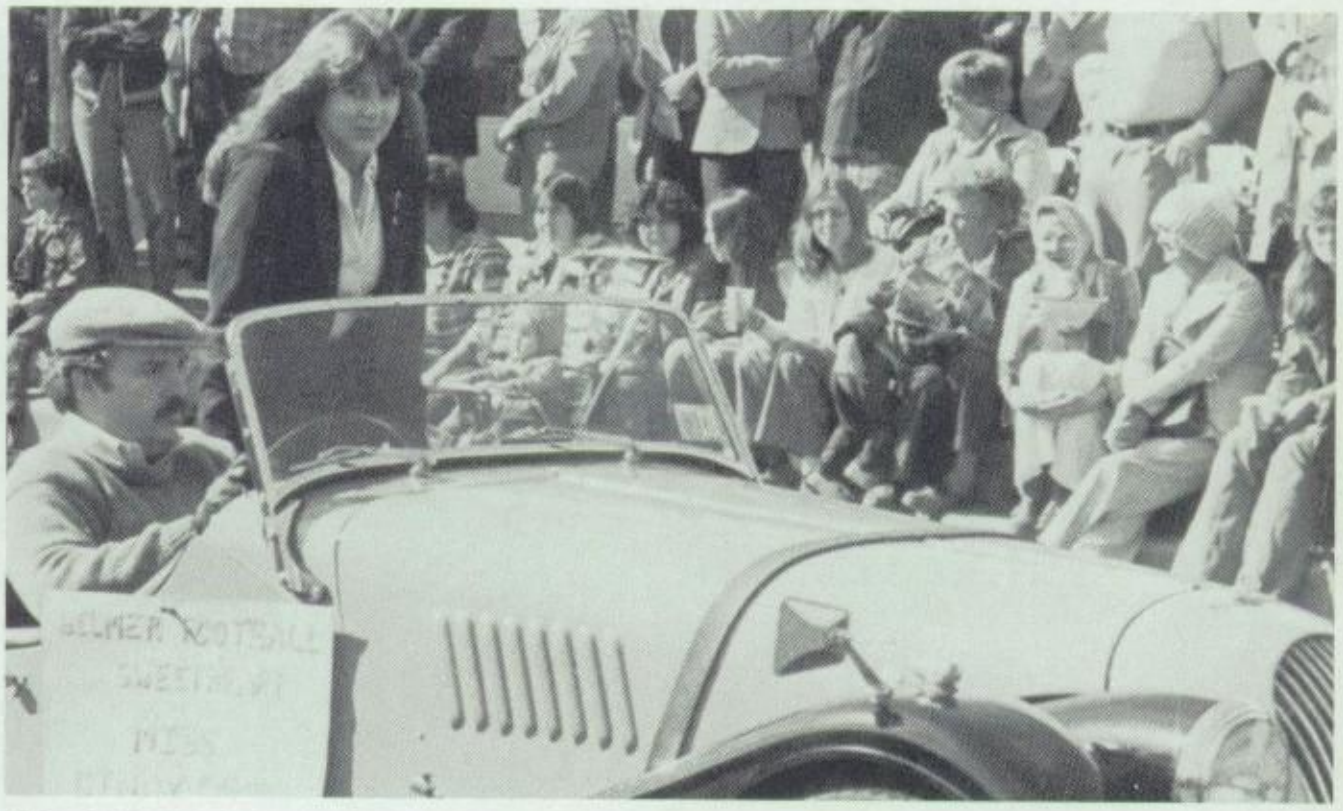
Billy Young
Bonny Young



Not Pictured:
Carolyn Arrington
Rodney Bradford
David Dodd
Nemius Fluellen
Patricia Maloney

must reserve my strength for Friday
ht's game," sighs Perry.



"Gosh! I didn't know so many people wanted to see me!" exclaims Cindy Camp.

Look forward

Sophomores

the best is yet to come

Sophomores began to show th school spirit by working hard to prepa themselves for the coming years. Look forward to a great year, the members the sophomore class are full determination, pride, and ambition.

Class favorites: Frankie Derrick, and John Breazeale

Runners-up: Lisa Wolfe, and Riley Hodges

Rodney Abron
Ray Nell Anderson
Sonia Arrington
Jeff Bauman
Kenneth Beal
Lisa Beasley

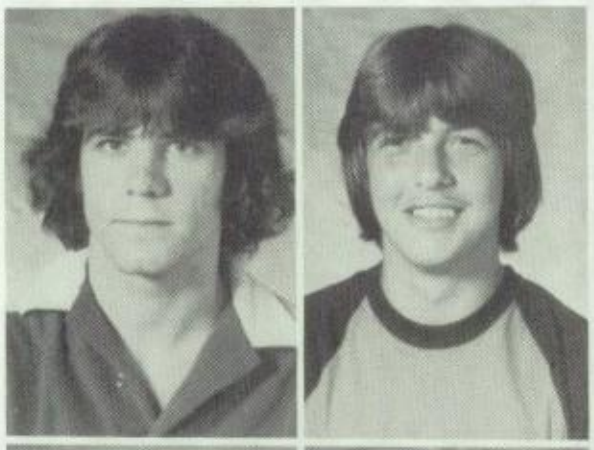
Mike Bell
Ella Bennett
Leah Berry
Keith Bonds
Sheddrick Borens

Celeste Bowers
John Breazeale
Denny Brown
Lisa Bryant
Kevin Buchanan
Eric Caldwell

Janie Catron
David Childress
Morrison Coker
Bonnie Coleman
Patricia Craig

homore Officers: Cathy Davidson, Susan Steelman, Peggy Lawler, Celeste Bowers.

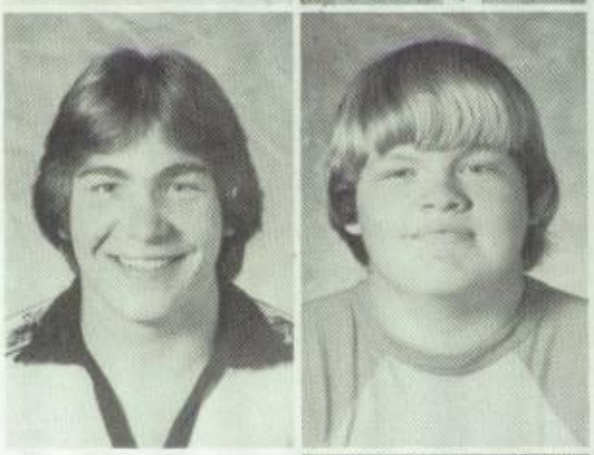
Mike Crawford
Jerry Daniel



Brian Davidson
Cathy Davidson

Kim Davidson
Micky Davidson

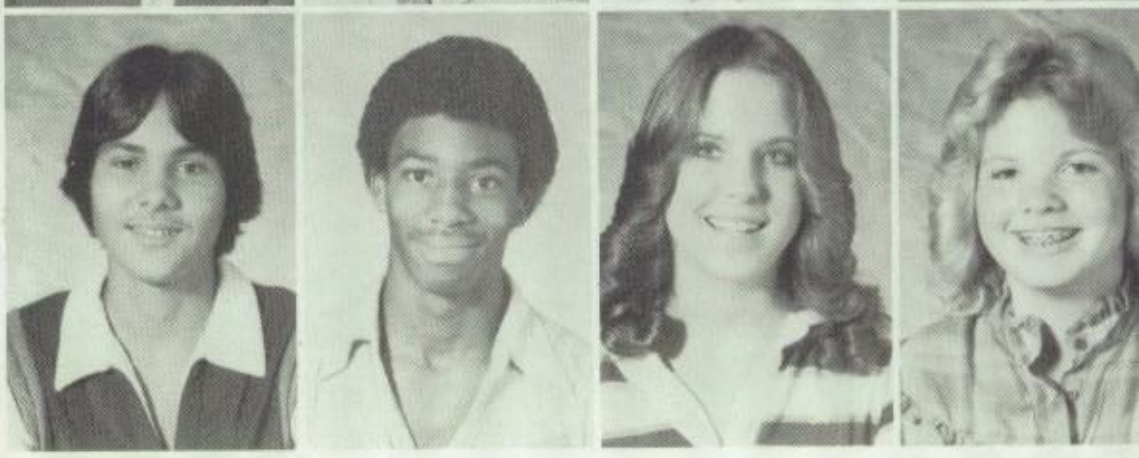
Ray Davidson
Lynn Davis



Sophomores show spirit in building the bonfire.

Darrell Dawson
Les Deason
Ricky Denton
Frankie Derrick
Jo Gina Dickerson

Richard Dixon
Anthony Duffey
Susan Dufour
Terri Dunbar



lorrison plans the Sophomores strategy for winning the spirit stick.

Carolyn Elder
Quint Ellis

Thomas Flowers
Matt Foreman

Marcus Ford
Ricky Ford

Yolunda Fluellen
Sheri Gipson

Denise Graham
Rhonda Graham
Kay Hall
Danny Helms
Melissa Henry

Brian Henson
Melanie Henson
Riley Hodges
Phillip Hollis

Dede Hooper
Jerry Jackson
Karen Johns
Rhonda Johnson
Edward Jones
Gloria Jones

Joe Jones
Karl Ray Jones
Rosalind Jones
Steve Jones
Brad Kardatzke
David Kitchens

Michael Klotz
Stacy Lambert

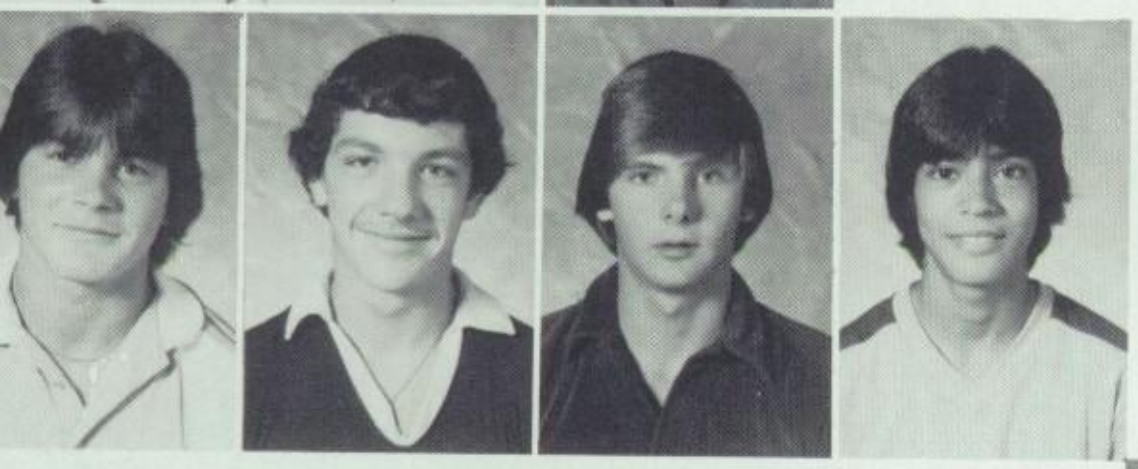
Cleatrice and Rhonda prepare to bury the Eagles.

Amy LaRue

Peggy Lawler
Angie Loden
Kelly Loftis
Yolanda Loy

David McEachern
Teresa Mask
Leanna Mewborn

Anthony Moon
Stacy Nash
Bobby Nichols



James Nobles
Robert Nunley
David Nutt
Freddie Ochoa

Amy Smith racks her brain on a tough English assignment.

Cheryl Odom

Lesia Palmer
Lisa Paranuk

Larry Patrick
Mike Petty
David Pickitt
Patricia Powell
Kelwin Prater
Robert Press

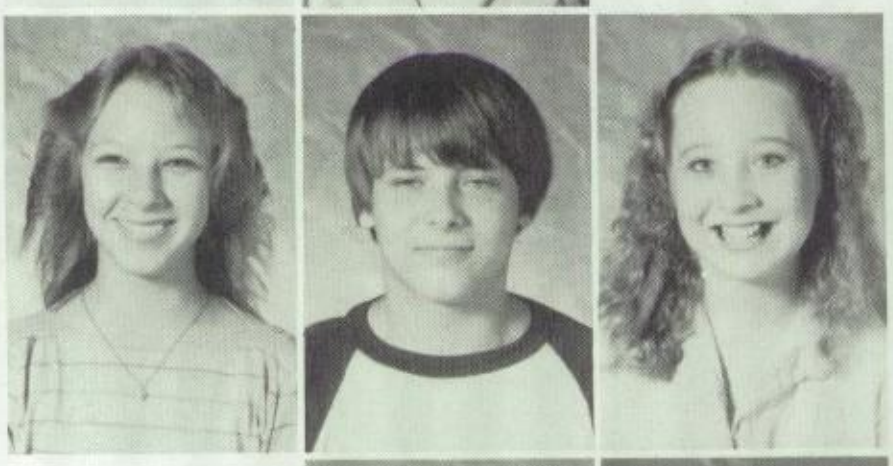
Ray Nell Primous
Kay Reeves
Daniel Rhoden
Edwin Robinson
Randy Robinson
Mark Scott

Jana Shelton
Amy Smith
Christi Smith

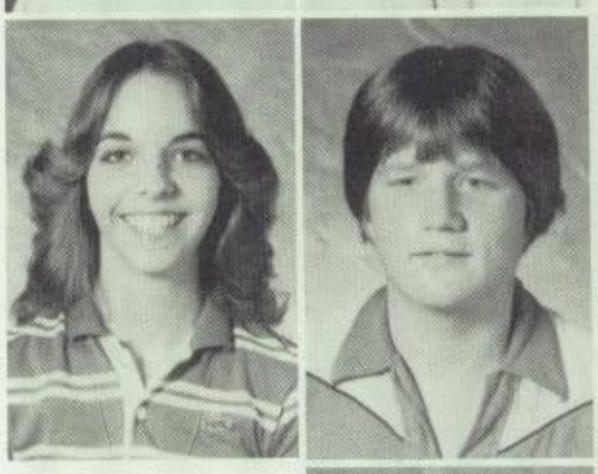
Cleatrice Smith
David Smith
Kathy Smith

Wayne Smith
Marijane Sosa

Frankie Derrick's smile shows that she is prou
to be a Buckeye.



Cherryl Spence
Terry Spencer
Karen Steelman



Susan Steelman
Joe David Stocks

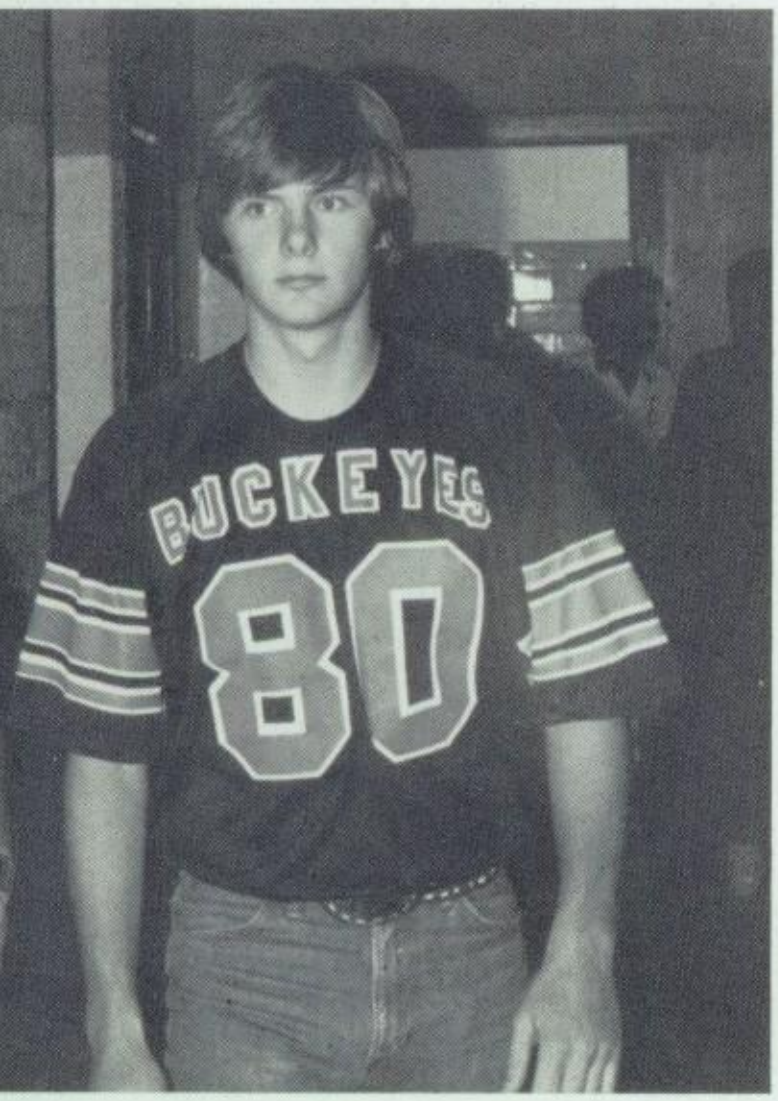
Lisa Bryant yawns at
thought of a Buckeye
buried by an *Eagle*.

Ricky Stone

Jackie Tanner
Travis Tate
Gerald Tave

Jim Thomason
Kim Thompson
Karen Threadgill
Dennis Timmons

Scotty Turner
Rita Valdez
Rodney VanDusen
Rose Venters
Paulette Verner



vid Nutt vows with determination to make it to pep rally on time

Barry Ward
Latonza Wayne
Michelle Webb

Norris Webb
Fletcher Wilson
Lisa Wolfe

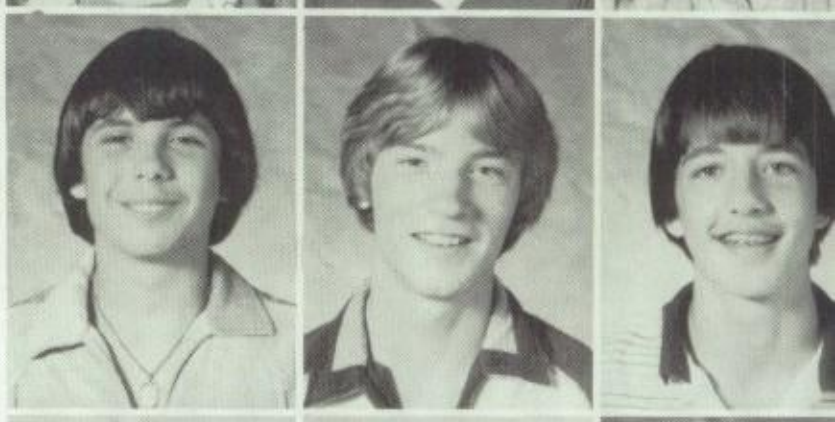
Kirby Wright
Chris Youman
Jimmy Walker

Not Pictured:
Richard Smith

Matt Alexander
Phillip Arrington
Barbara Baker
Janet Baugh
Cheryl Beal

Bonnie Beisch
Michelle Bellamy
Bobbie Bennett
Alan Berry
Mary Lynn Berry

Steve Bishop
David Blalack
Britt Bonds



Clint Booker
Marcus
Bradford
Robert Brem

What Is A Freshman?

What exactly is a Freshman? Webster's Student Dictionary defines one as: 1) student in first year of school or college 2) beginner. But our students have a different view.

"Number one!"; "The biggest and the best at G.H.S.!"; "Alright I guess."; "The world revolves around Freshmen."; and "The cat's meow.", were just a few descriptions Freshmen gave of themselves.

However, some did not agree. Others thought they were giggly, naive, Mork-like characters, squirrelly, and very wormy. Upperclassmen's definitions were, "A little-bitty person with a great big mouth!''; "EVERYWHERE!!"; "Most are big-eyed and wondering what's going on."; "A chocolate chip in a cookie."; "Blank little minds ready to be imprinted with words of wisdom."; "A little mixed up kid that don't (sic) know where he is!"

No offense, Freshmen, we love you, but you have to start somewhere.

This Section by Ledonna Wallace and Kym Deason.

Lannette Brooks
Tim Brown
David Bruton
Mae Buirl
Jimmy Bunn
Kimberly Cain

Sheila Caraway
Jimmy Cargil
Mario Carter
Shona Cates
Julie Catron
Cathy Chandler

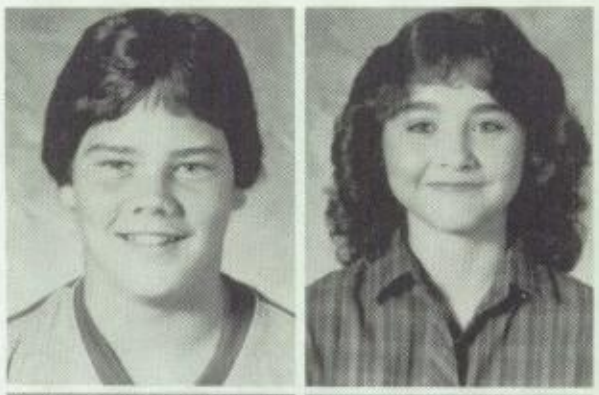
Donald Chambers
Monique Christman
Gary Collier
Jo Ann Crawford
Ray Culberson
Deron Dacus

Ronald Darden
Willie Darden
Kristi Davidson
La Vesha Davidson
Lorie Davidson
Tina Davidson

Amy Davis
Cassandra Davis
Deanna Davis
Kathy Davis
Larry Denkins
Derosea Doddy

Roadder Doddy
Angela Easley
Scott Elioff
Mark English
Doug Fenlaw
Lisa Fenlaw

Dwayne Fennell
Tina Ferguson



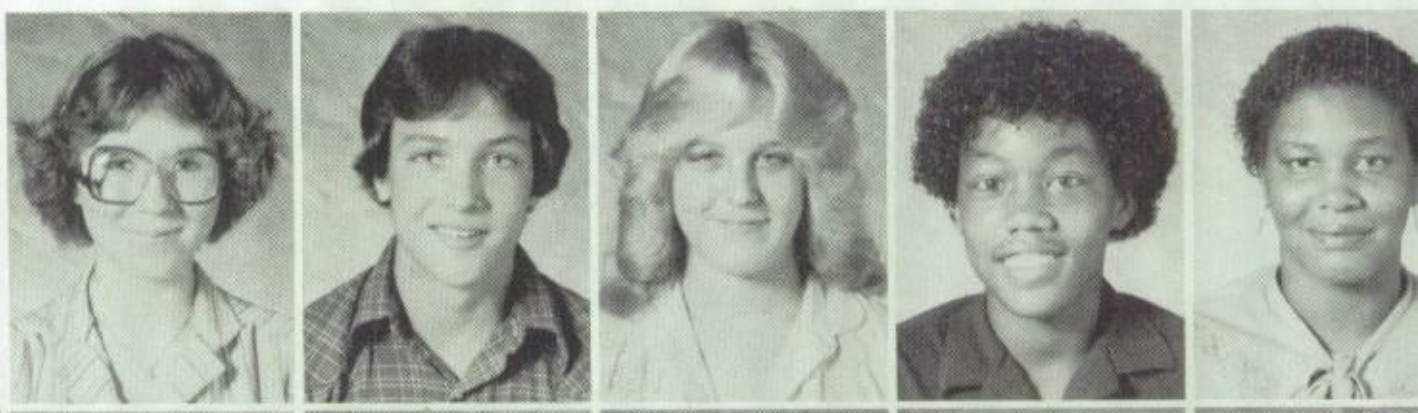
Tammy Fielden
Cheryl Finch

Shandra Finch
Jonathan Fowler

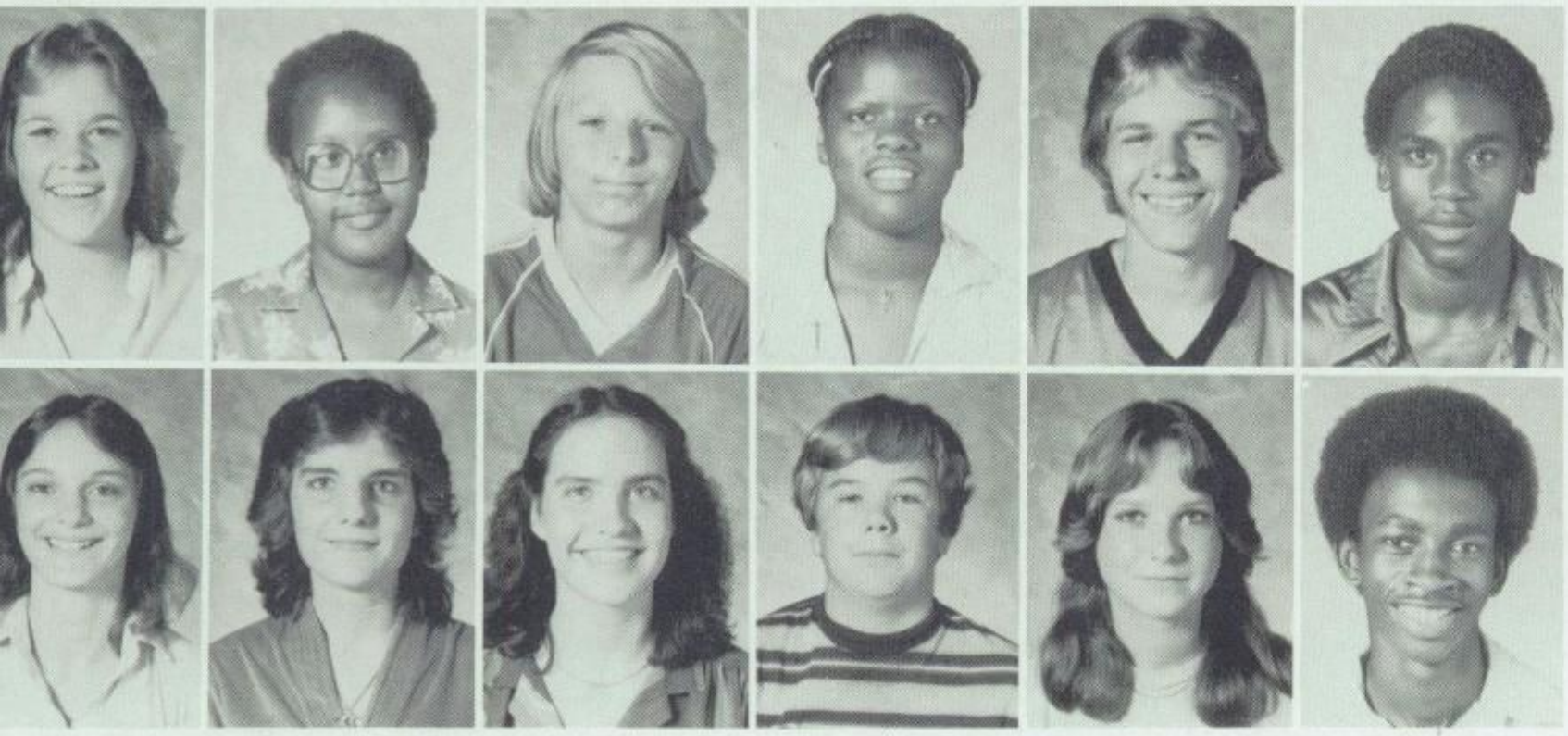
Carla Gibson
Cathy Glendinning

Freshman Favorites are Cheryl Beal and Harvey Water

Sheldy Golden
Doug Graham
Leah Graham
Danny Grant
Teresa Grant

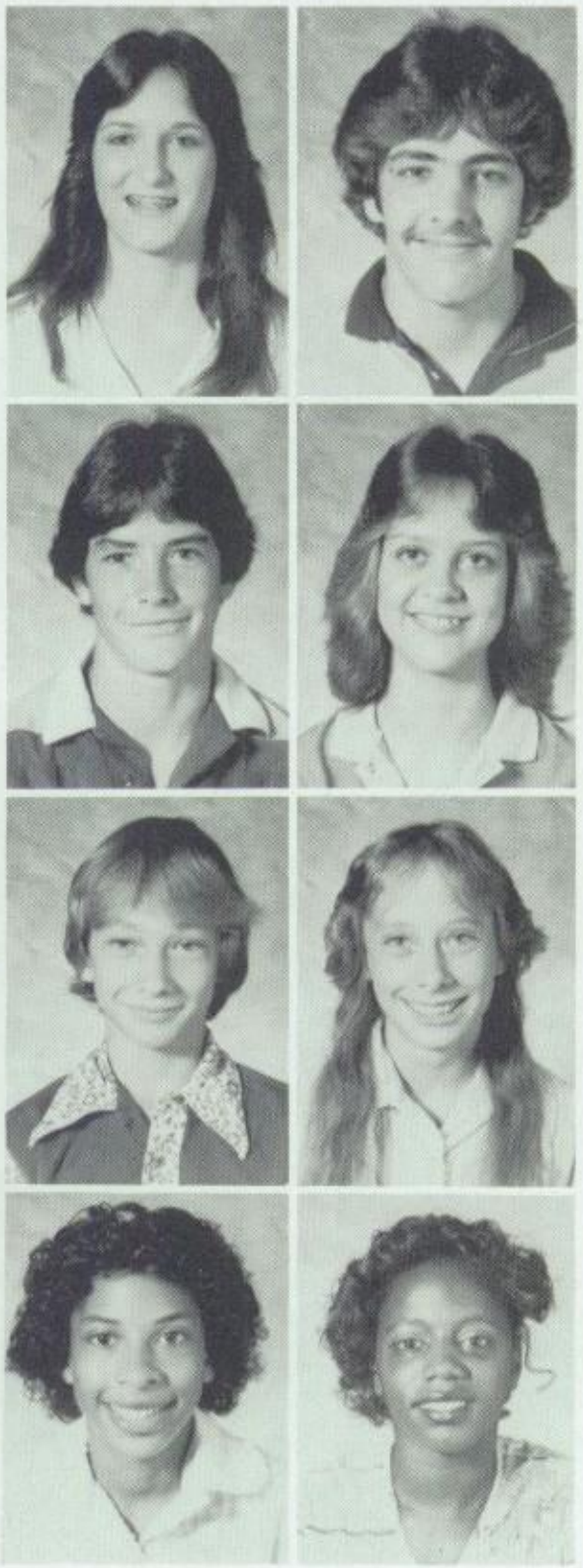


Raymond Graniville
Tonya Granville
Charlie Green
Johnny Griffith
Allison Griswald
Darwin Gunby



Carrie Gunter
Greta Hagler
Eric Hall
Gloria Hall
Jack Hammonds
Dondi Harris

Sheila Harris
Lee Hearrell
Karen Henson
David Hill
Nancy Hooper
Cedric Hopkins



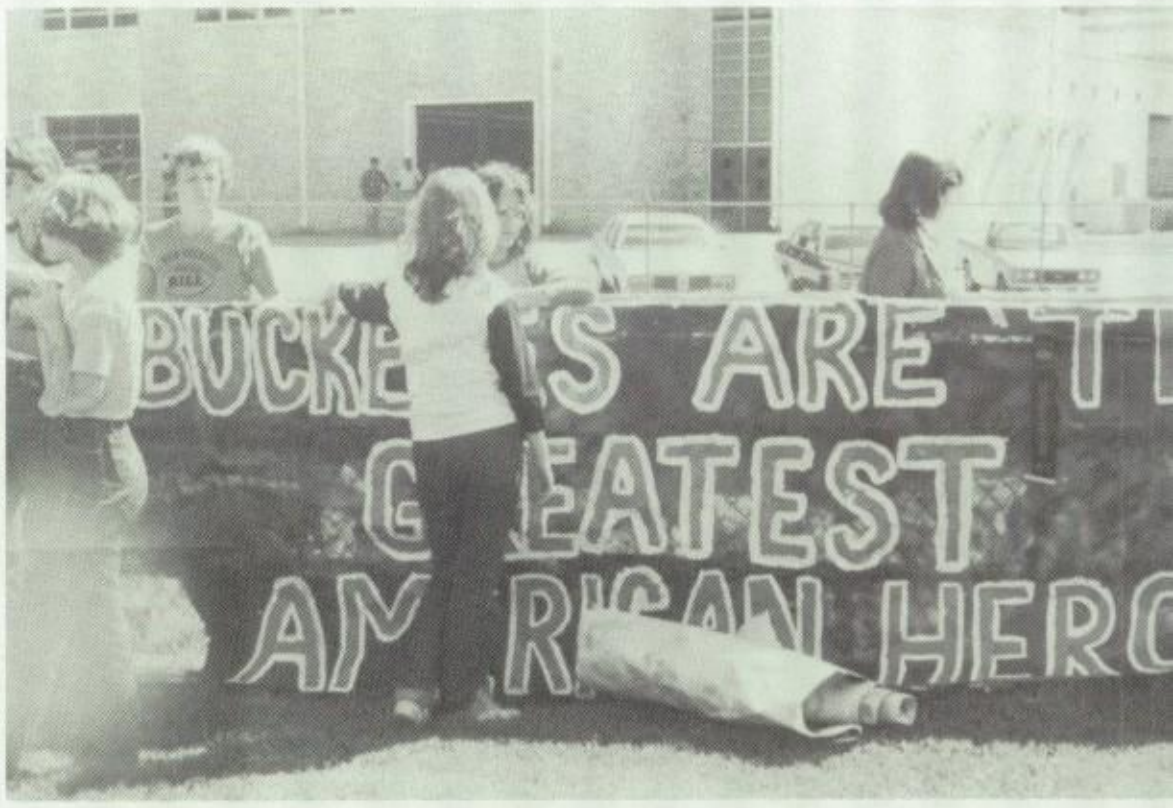
Susan Horton
Trace Hudgins

John Irwin
Vicki Isonhood

Dana Johnson
Diane Johnson

Karen Johnson
Jackie Jones

Freshman Runner-Ups are Jeri Ann Richardson and
rlie Green.



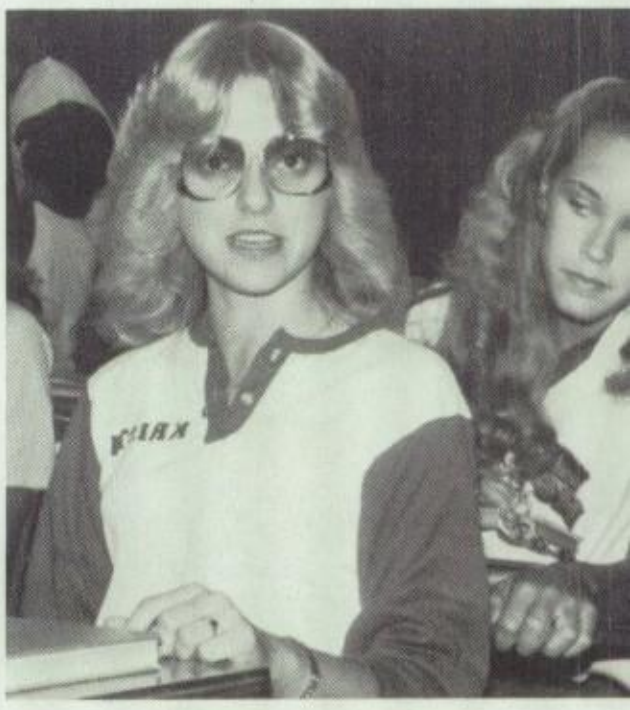
Below: Everyone needs to rest after working hard.

Mary Jones
Michael Jones
Pat Jones

Rosalyn Jones
Pat Keith
Carol King

Michael Knox
Ryan Lewis
Amy Loftice

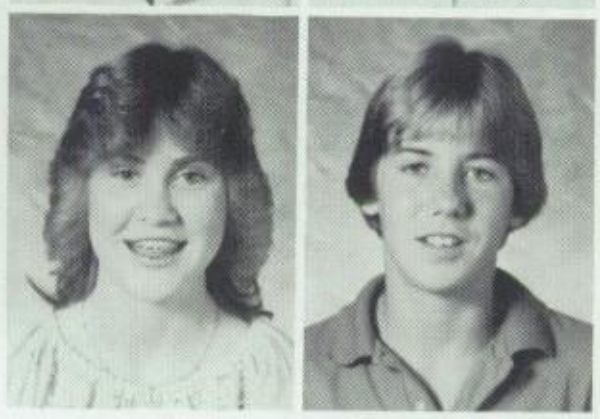
Kim Long
Jeff Lovett



Kristy tells Kim about their new pom-
routine.

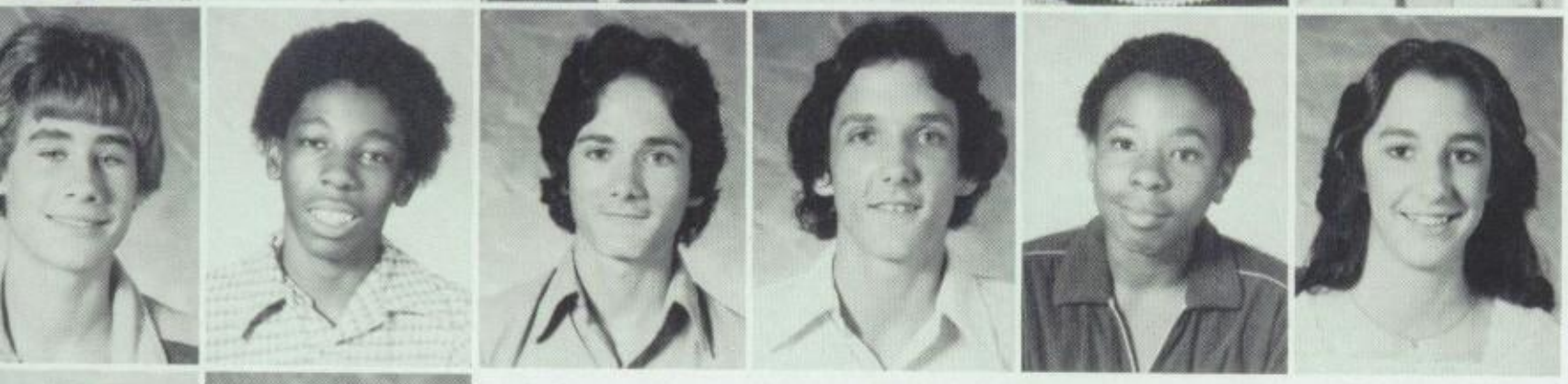
Cynthia wonders what Janet is up to.

Olivia Loy
Santos Loy

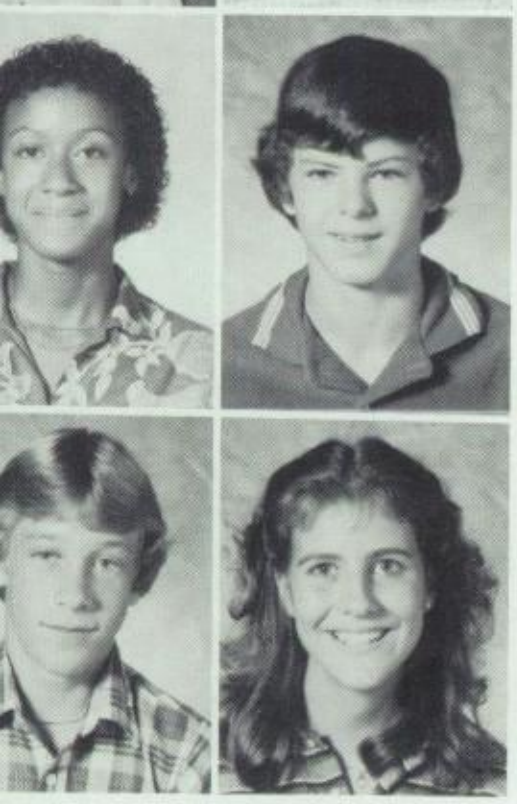


Cynthia Lunsford
Andy Lyles

Billy McPherson
Carol Martin
Randal Mathis
Rondal Mathis
Connie Mayhan
Kim Medlin



Johnny Melton
Heath Mitchell
Charles Mooney
Jon Mooney
Darrell Moore
Veronica Moore



Nan Murphy
Troy Nelson

Brent
Newman
Jennifer
Osborne

Michelle informs Mr. McQueen he is drawing a lovely picture as Britt, Cathy, Brent and Dwayne agree.

Melissa Palmer
Tommy Palmer
Kim Parker
Pam Parnell
Russell Patterson
Robby Patton

David Pendleton

Taking a test is no laughing matter.

Kathleen Pickering

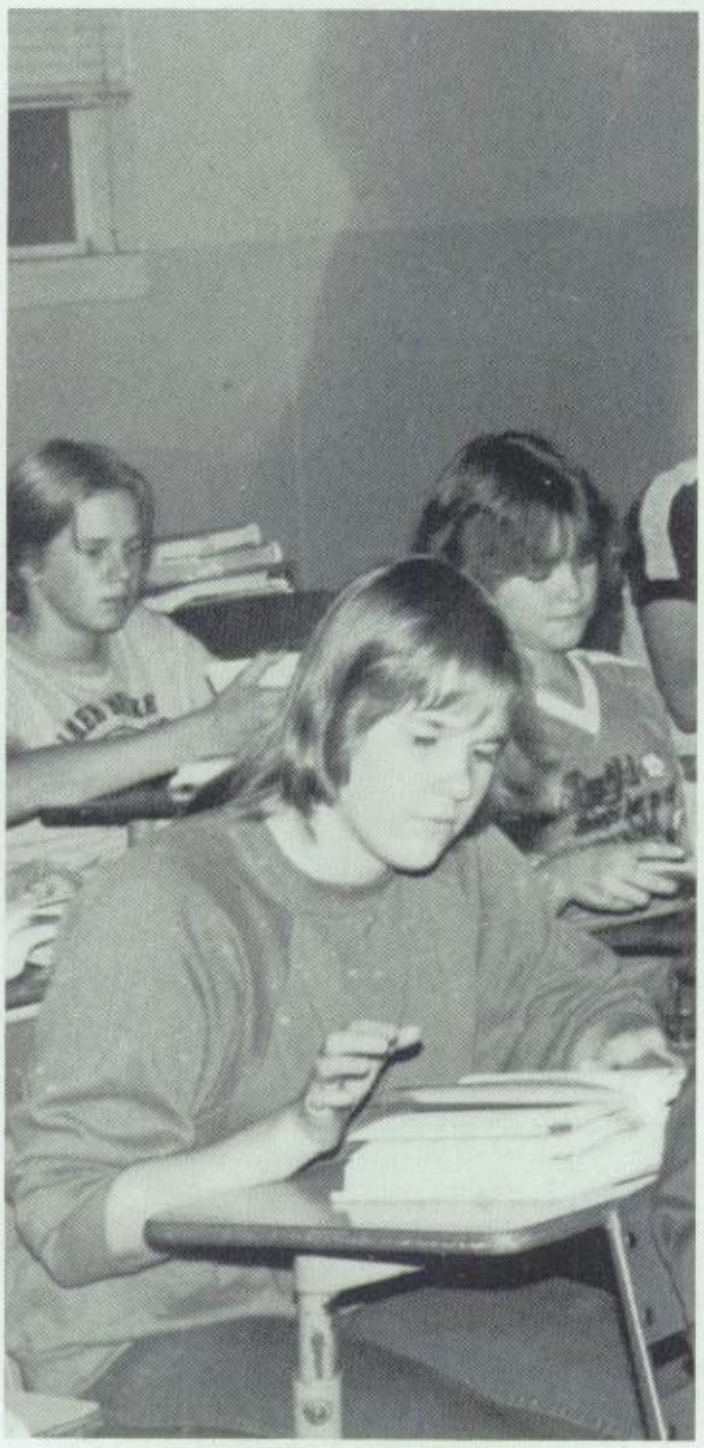
Donna Pitman

Donna tells Kim, "I put a worm in Terry's tea."

Tony Puckett

Dante Redditt
James Reed
Jeri Ann Richardson
Brian Ritter
Linda Robinson
Lisa Russell

Kendall Rydell
Norma Scoggins
Judy Scott
Todd Sipes
Paula Skinner
Morgan Smith



Teri Smith

Ami Stacy

Courtney Stevenson

Belynda Taylor

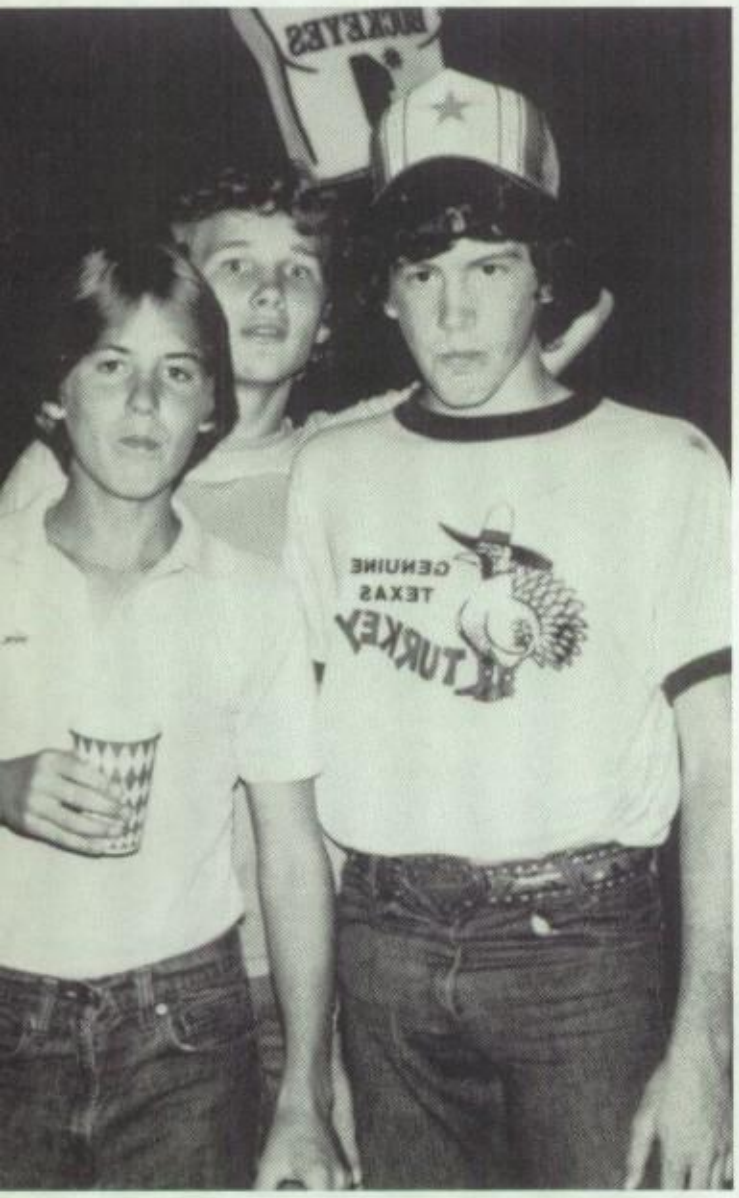
ove: Leon and Jeff look as if they have ver seen a camera before.
ght: Hurry Carrie! Get him before he ns off the page!

Jessie Taylor
David Thomason
Frank Tomlin
Debbie Tucker
Vanessa Venters
Clint Walker

Lindley Walker
David Warren
Dectric Waters
Harvey Waters
Shaunda Webb

Becky Wheeler
Bill White
Brenda Williams

Scott Williams
Carrie Wilson
Leslie Wilson

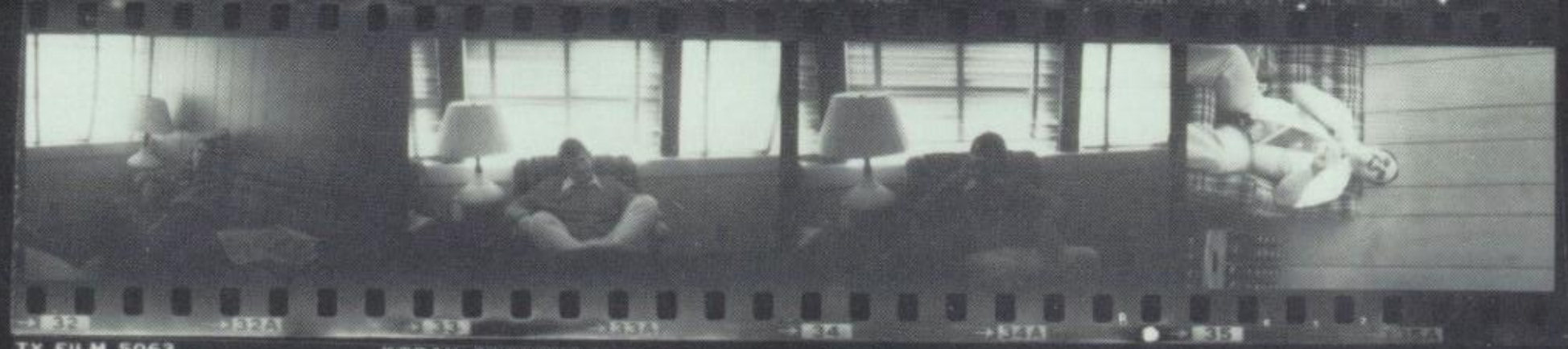


That's just like freshmen to get everything backwards proven by Andy, Bill, and Russell.

Linda Wilson
Teresa Wright
Shawn Wyatt

Ray Young
Steven
Youngblood
Lori Speers

Not Pictured:
Kenneth Burns
Stacy Clark
Billy Jones
Kim Lee
Dennis Morgan
James Reynolds
Billy Reynolds
Dennis James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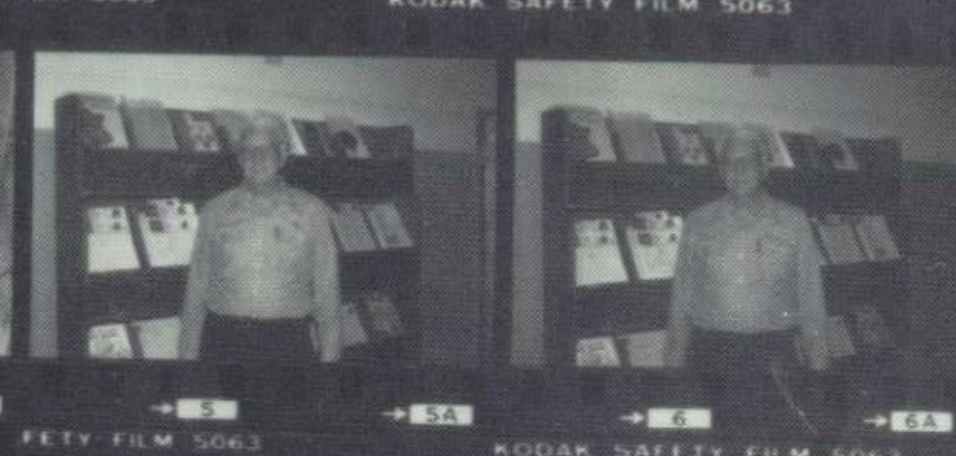
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FACULTY

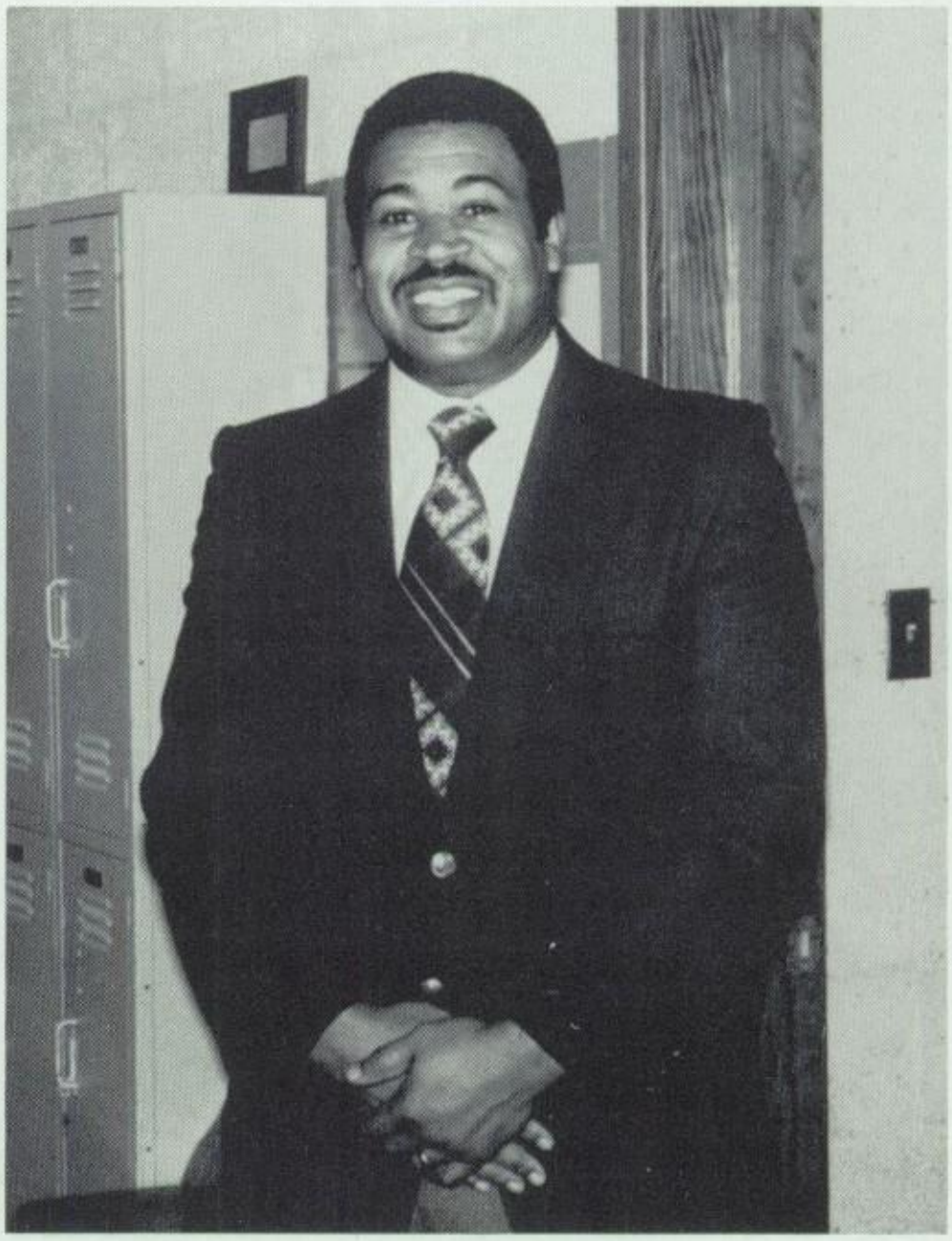
Administration Sets The Pace For Progress

The Gilmer School Board, following the lead of our superintendent Mr. Cockrill, has been progressive and enthusiastic. Through their efforts to improve our school facilities and programs, a bond issue was voted on and was passed by a two to one margin. This 2.2 million dollar bond will provide band, homemaking, library and science instruction areas.

Jack Cockrill
Superintendent of Schools

School Board: James Gee, Louie Smith, Ronnie Poole, Dr. Wesley Bishop, Don Bethard, Russell Green, Blanche Turner.

Truett Rattan
Principal



Harvey Rayson
Assistant Principal

Ronnie Stanley
Vocational Supervisor

Gary Wilson
Vocational Counselor

Cynthia Faye Lindsey
Counselor

Faculty Takes Charge Of Classes

When the question of who's in charge is asked, one will get many answers from different types of people. If a senior were asked, he naturally would say the school is run by his superior class. If a junior or sophomore were asked, each would respond with his respective class. If a freshman were asked, he would not have the slightest idea.

When the teachers are finally asked, one would truly get a sound response. From the first day of school our faculty and administrators were actually in charge. Each member of the faculty worked together every day with the principals, superintendent, and the school board to see that the school system ran smoothly.

Gwen Beal
Homemaking

Barbara Neel
English

David McQueen
Vocational Agriculture

Jimmy Clifton
Band Director

Janis Wilson
English

Richard Wright
English

Betty Parish
English

JoAnn Patton
Spanish

Travis Hough
Civics

Dan Blasingame
Physical Science

Libby Neely
English, Drama

Bess Brown
English, World History

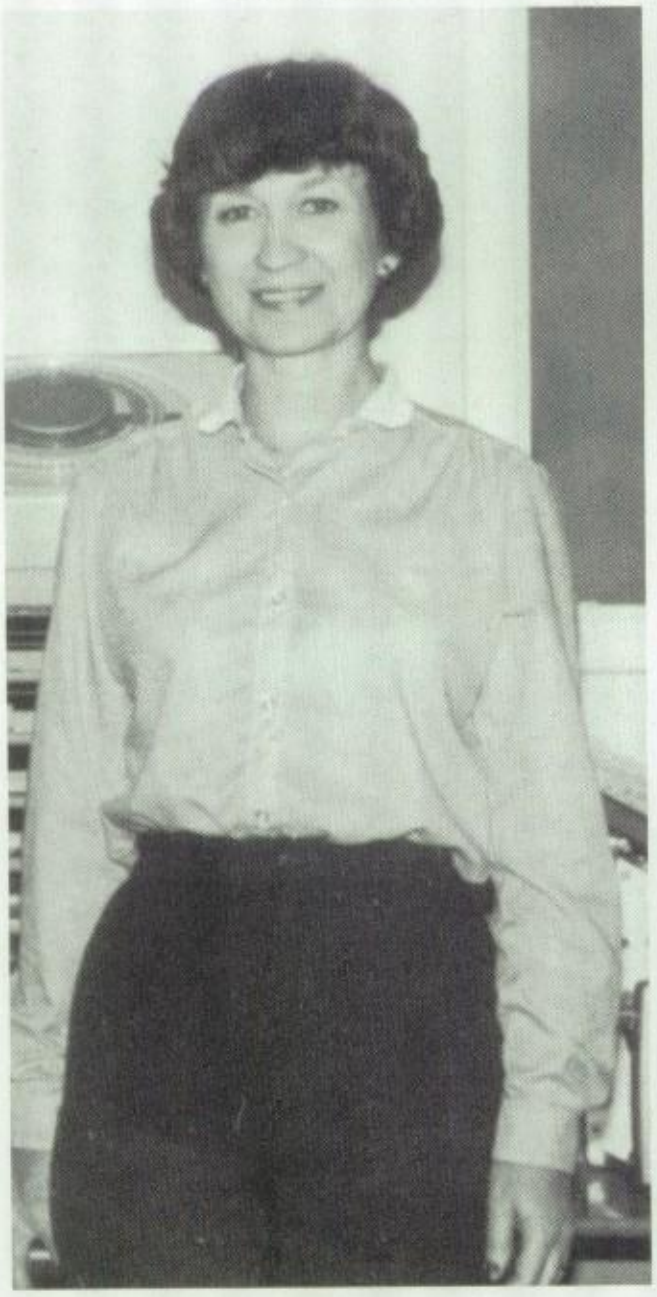
Annette Breazeale
English, Fine Arts, Yearbook

Annie B. Hiner
Homemaking

Claudette Rayson
Librarian

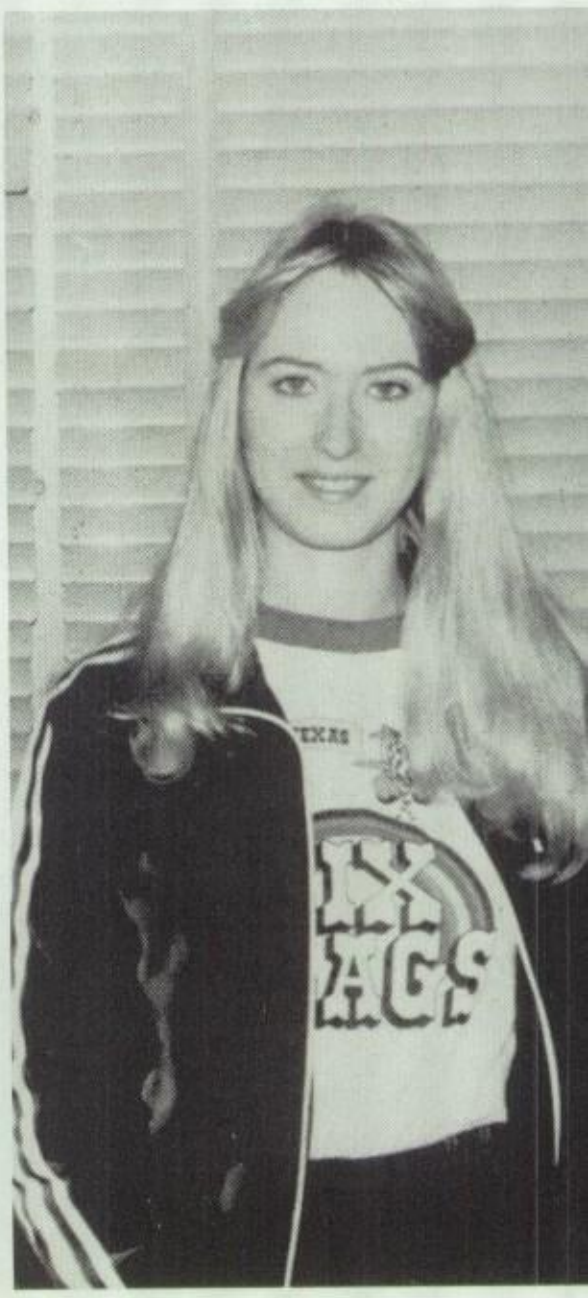
Connie Powell
Biology, P.E., Coach

Joy Hasley
Homemaking



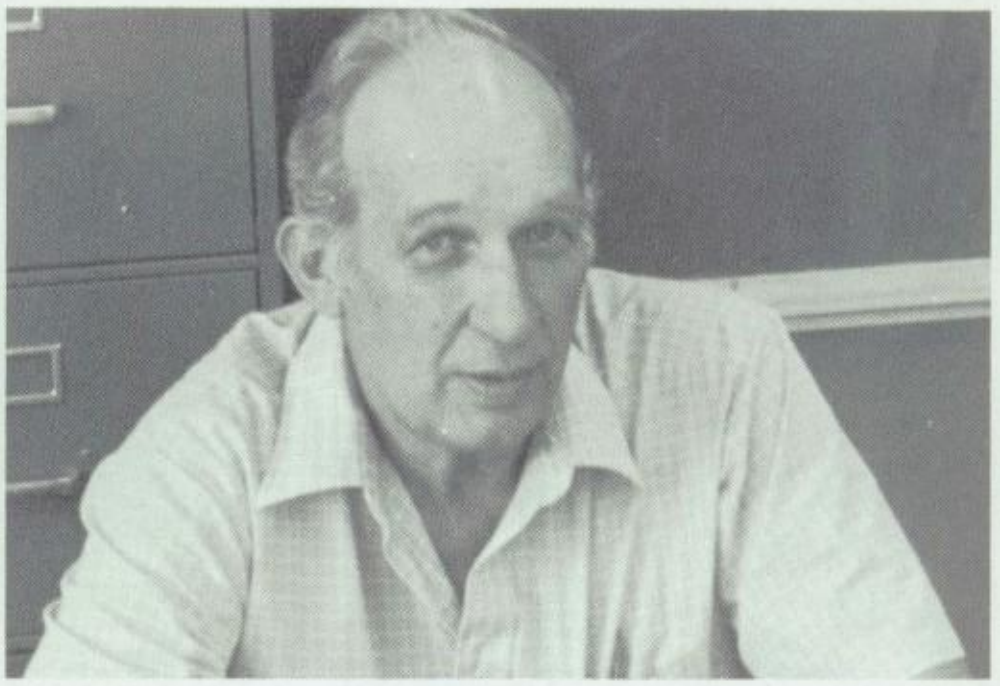
Betty Davis
Office Duplicating Practices

Sue Williams
H.E.C.E.

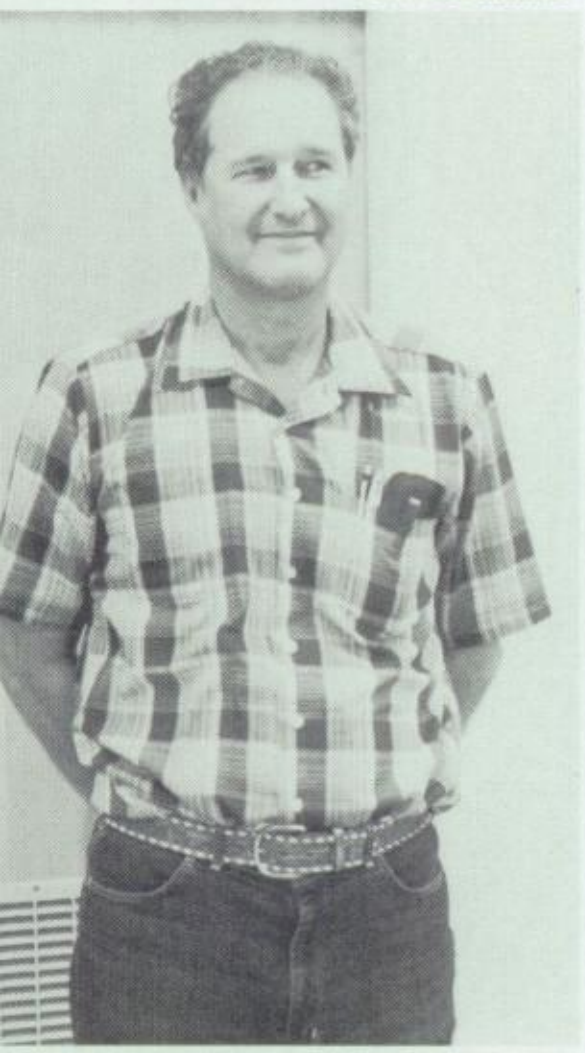


Donna Gaddis
Physical Science, Coach

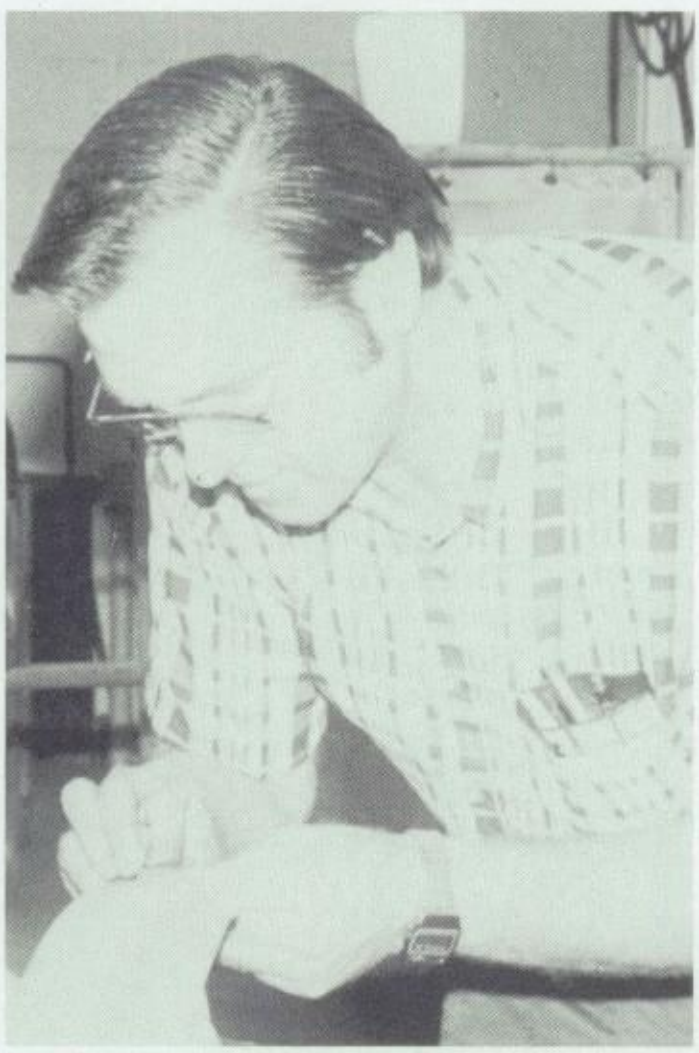
Bill Jamison
Auto Mechanics



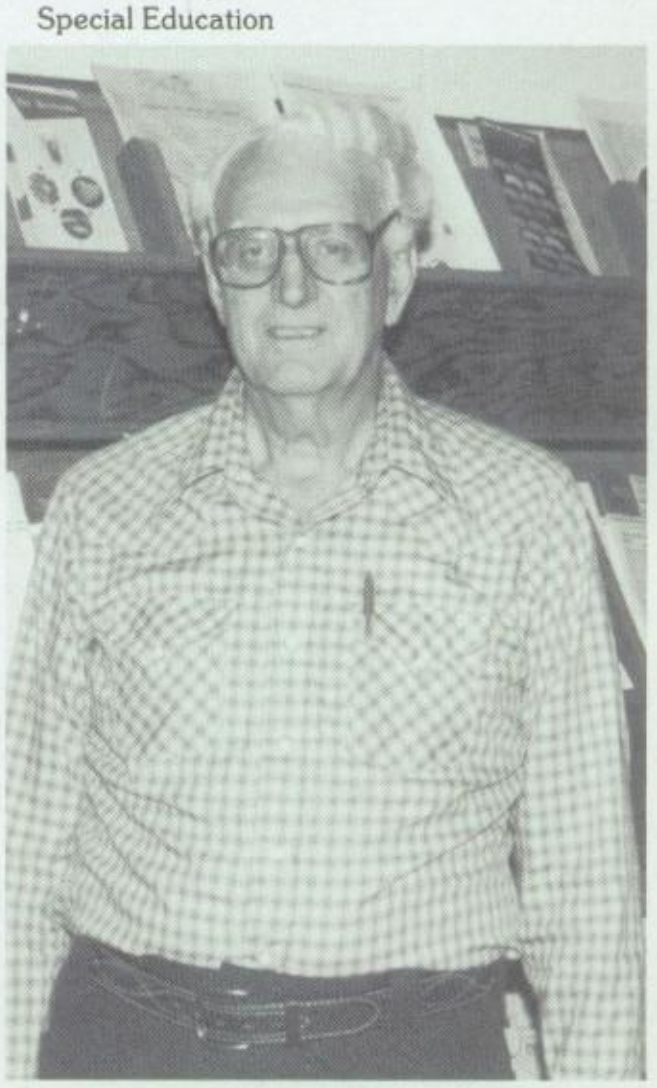
Don Petty
Special Education



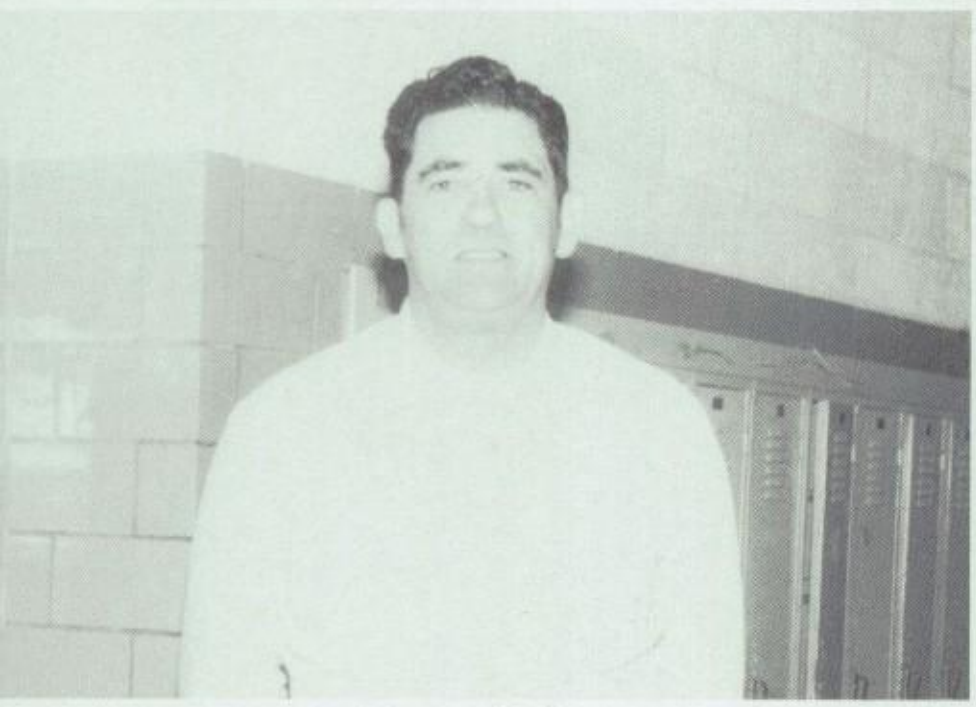
Dwain Ferguson
Electrical Trades



Mickey Kusa
Metal Trades



Grover Bishop
Vo. Ag.

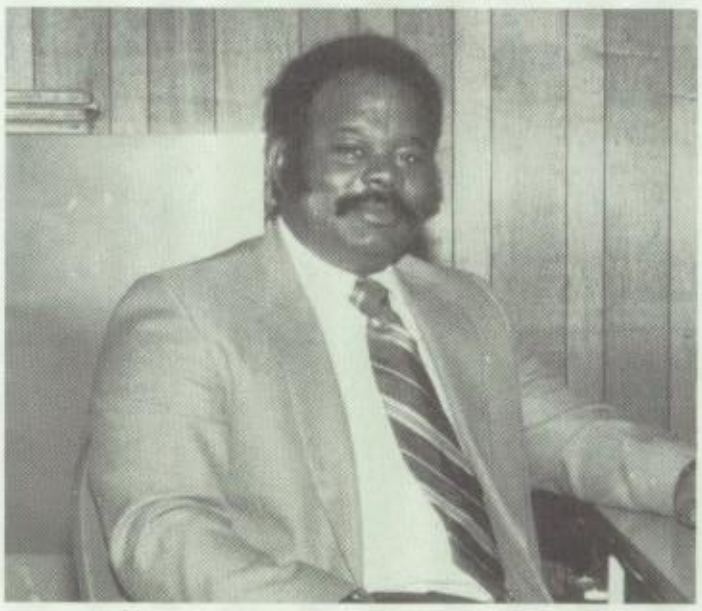


John Crossland
General Mechanics

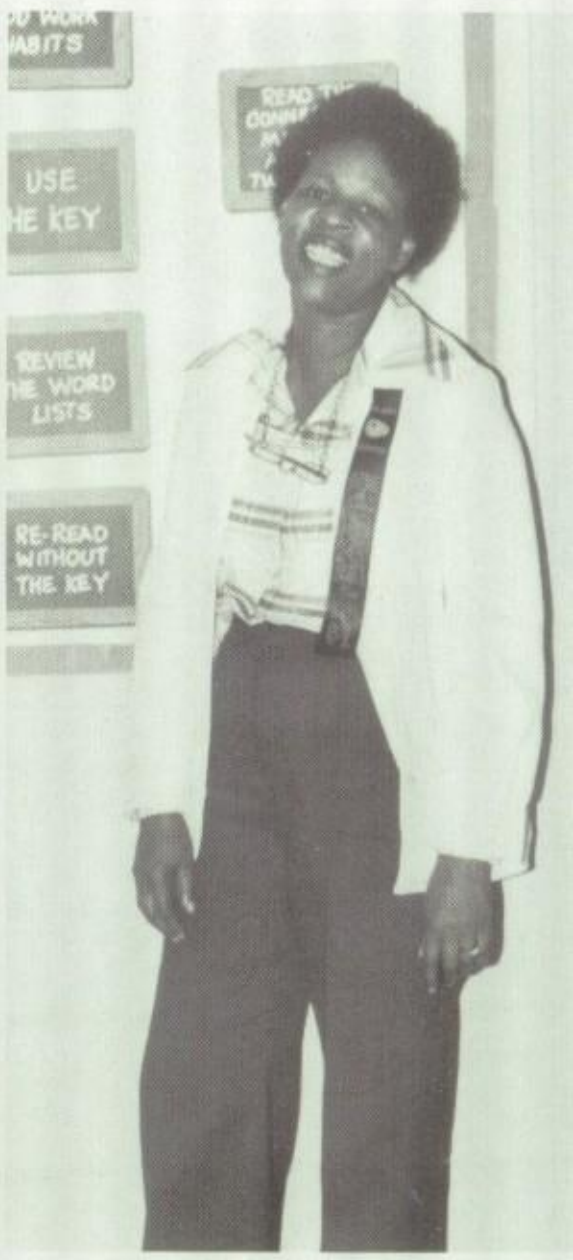
Tommy Hill
General Construction

Bettye Smith
D.E.

Ruby Tevebaugh
Business, Journalism

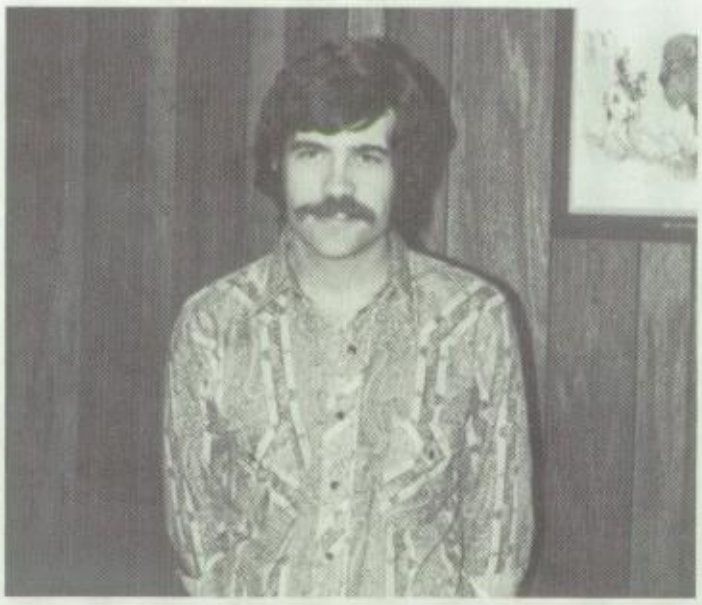


Johnny Jackson
Math



Arlene Stephenson
Typing, Shorthand

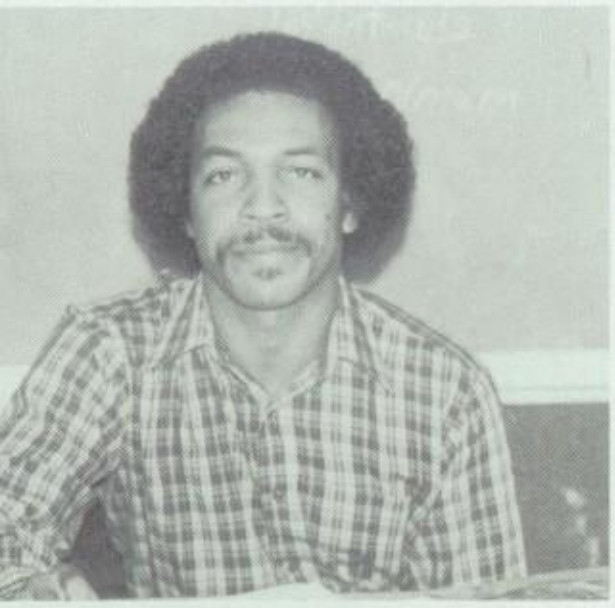
Virginia Jones
V.O.E.



Frank Gordon Jones
Math

E. V. Webb
Math

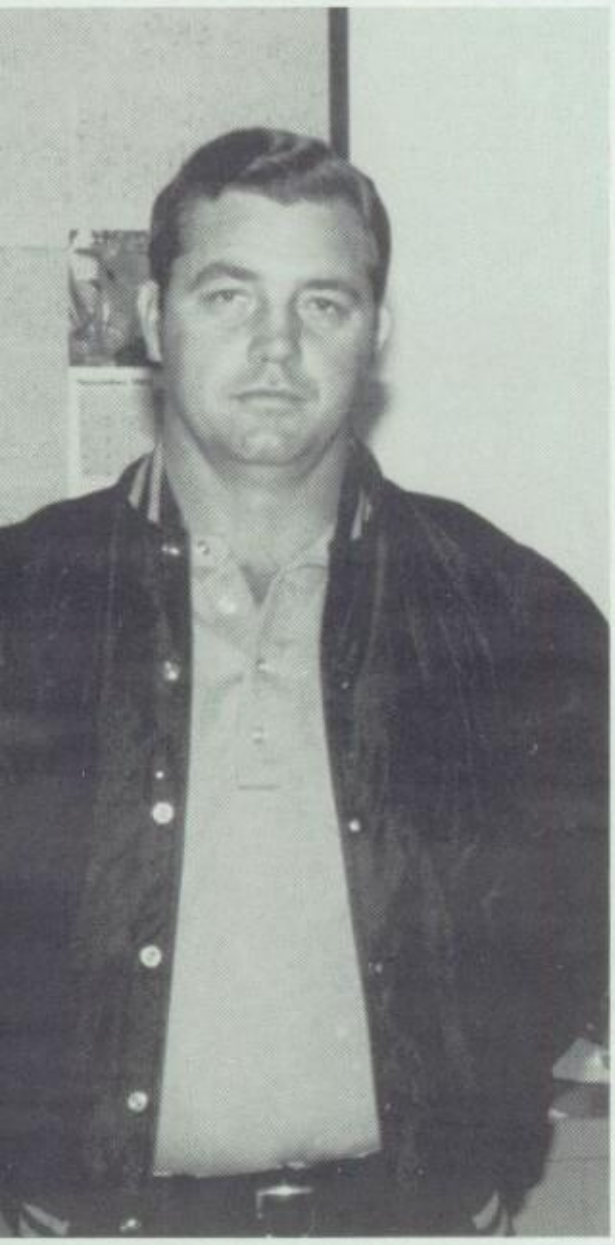
Mary Stewart
Algebra, Trigonometry



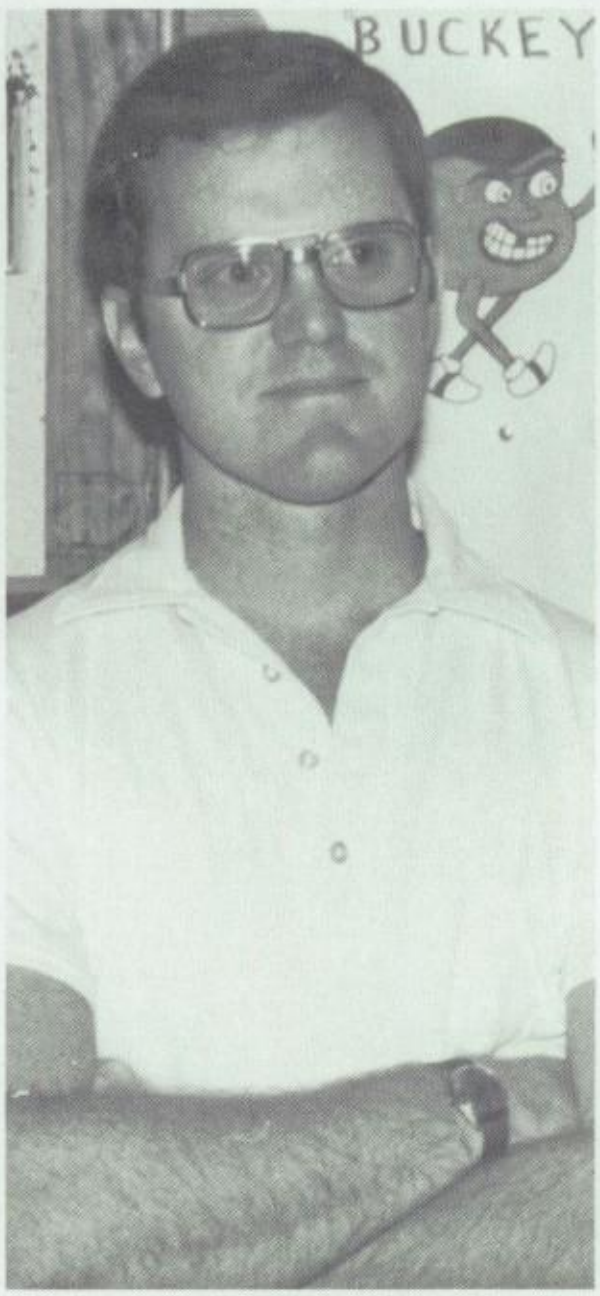
Hughes Watson
Special Ed., Coach

Tommy Waggoner
Athletic Director

James Beal
World History, Coach



Darrell McDonald
Biology, Coach



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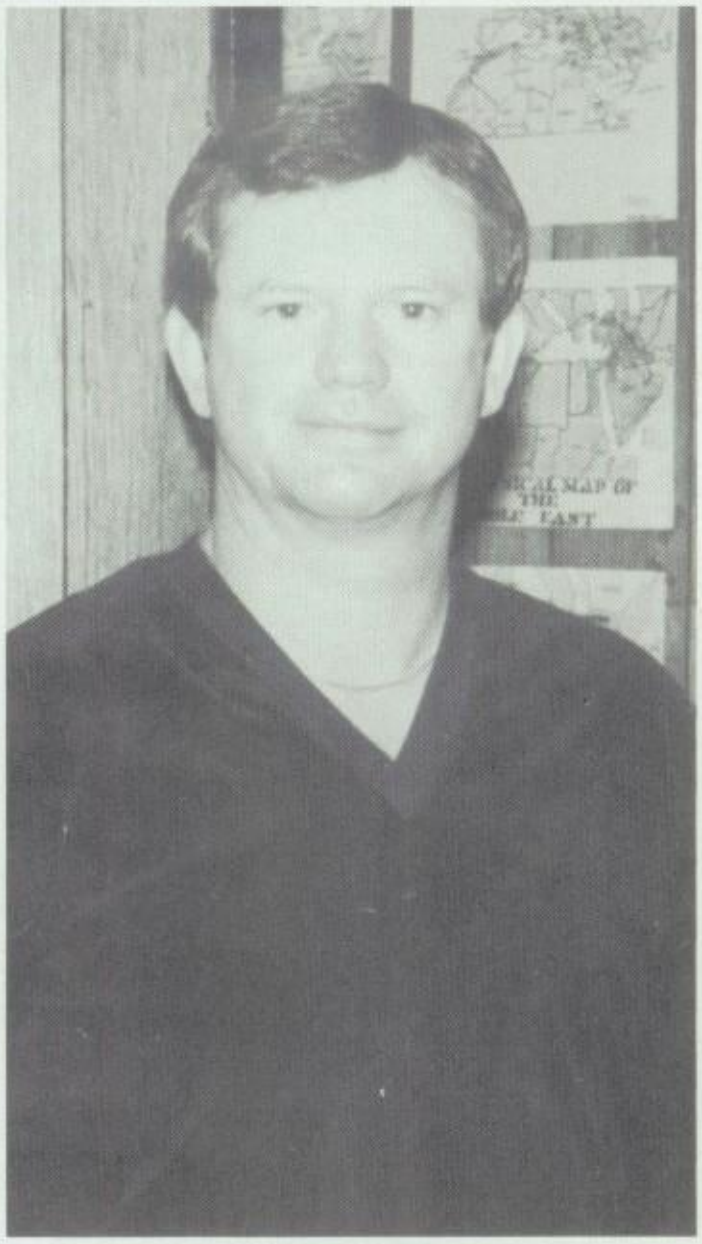

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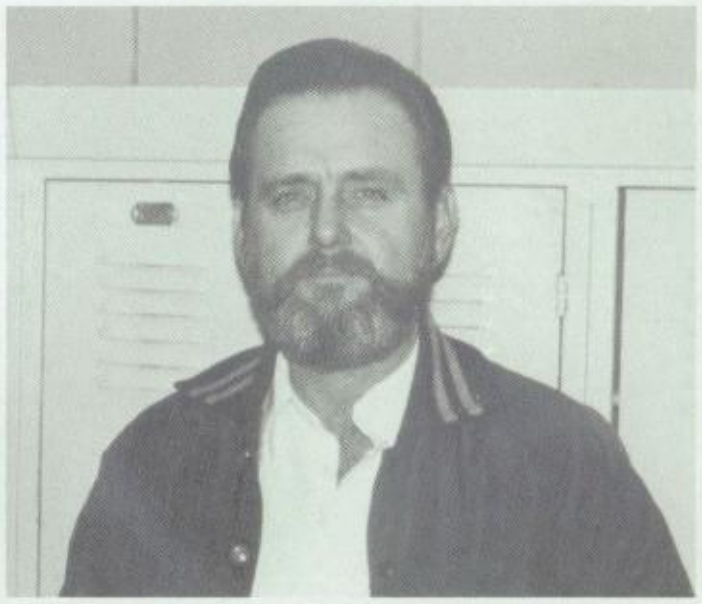
Robert Halloway
American History



Glenn Smith
Biology, Coach

Jeanne Johnson
Secretary

Dolline Fitzgerald, Louise Hill
Aides

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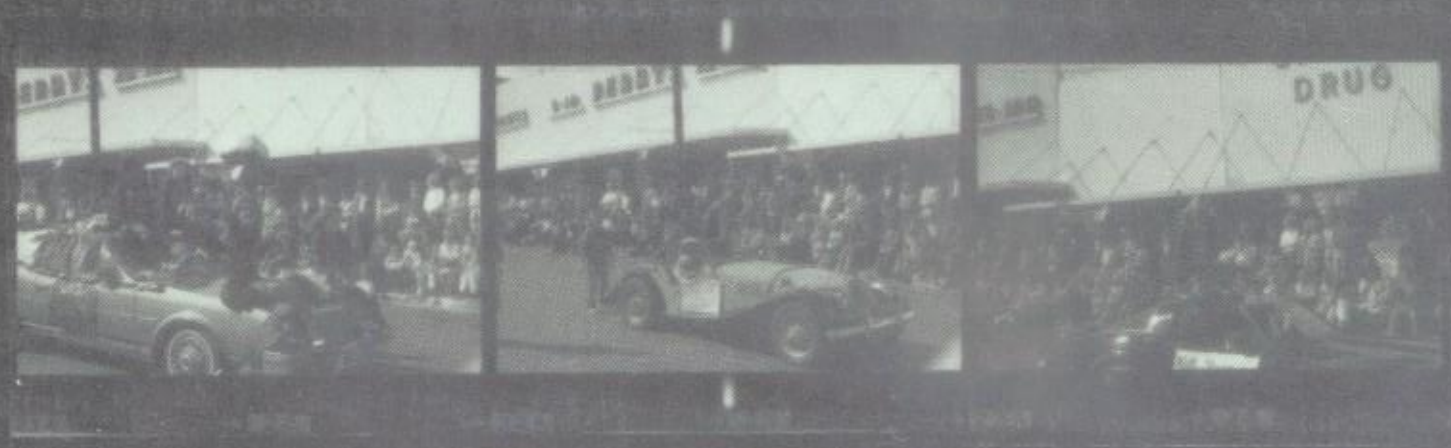


ACHIEVEMENTS

MOST POPULAR

Randy Burris

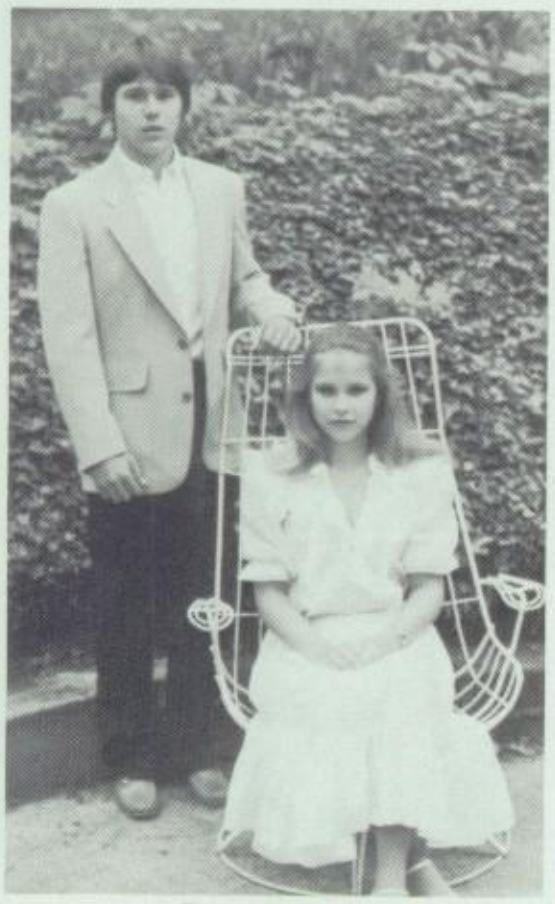
Cindy Camp

Runners-up
Rhonda Graham
Darin Hollis

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Jim Patterson

Kelly Blasingame



Runners-up
Frank Breazeale
Cathy Glendinning

MR. AND MISS G.H.S.

Cassius Elder

Bonny Young

Runners-up
Jimmy Hooper
Donna Gordon

FRIENDLIEST

Sharon Simmons

Rodriquez Lewis

Runners-up
Daron Morgan
Cynthia Lunsford

BEST ALL-AROUND

Perry Harper

Marty Hodges

Runners-up
Charlie Green
Latonza Wayne

MOST ATHLETIC

Markeef Fluellen

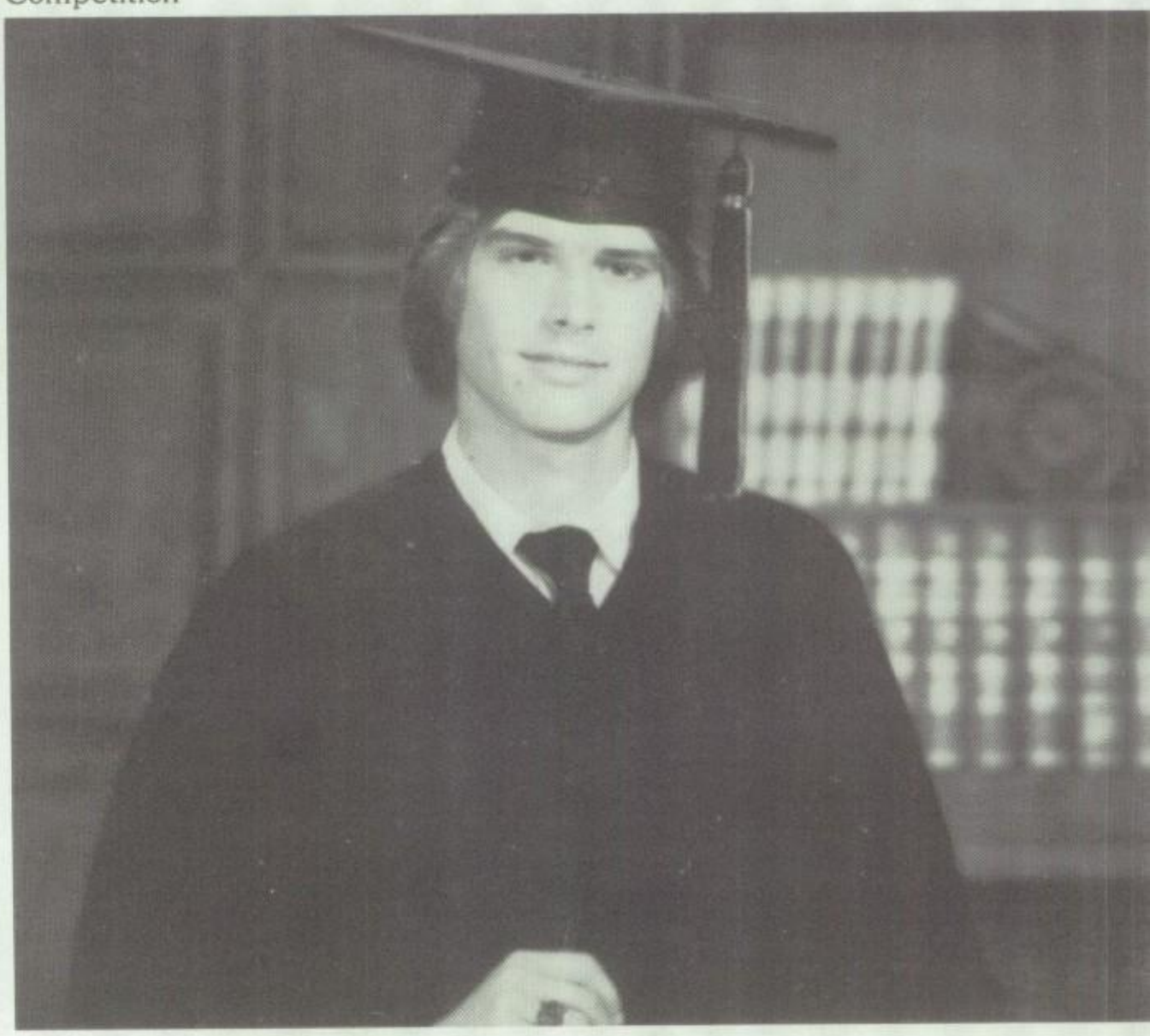
Roszena Thompson

Runners-up
Rodger McKnight
Donna Gordon

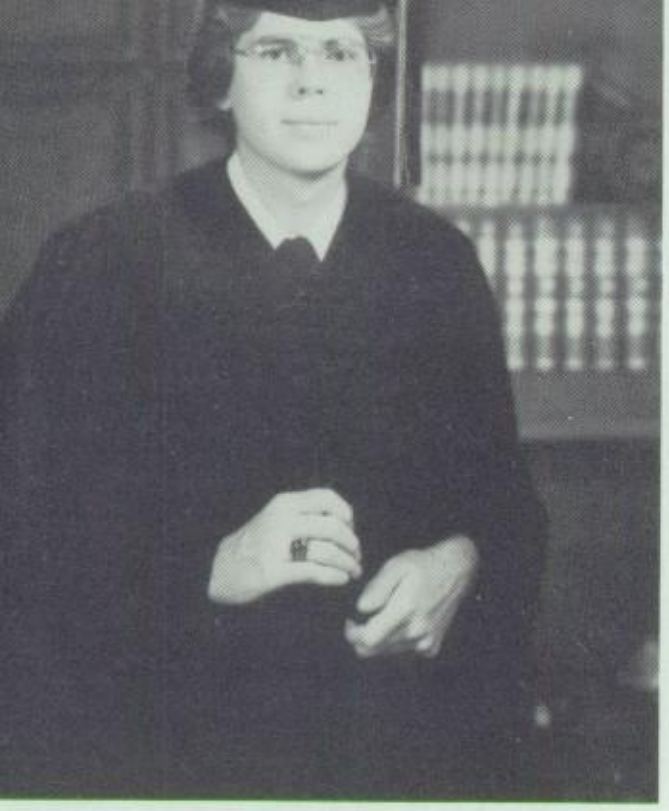
Senior Honors

Karen Monk
Highest Ranking Girl, Southwestern University Scholarship, Spanish, Yearbook, Four Year Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance Record

Jim Patterson — Valedictorian
Marguerite Gipson Scholarship — First Baptist Church, Mathematics, National Honor Society, Four Year Honor Roll, Certificate of Participation in State U.I.L. Competition



John Bullock — Salutatorian
Four Year Honor Roll, Scholarship, Loyalty, and Achievement Award



Bart Arrington
eresa Garmon Memorial Scholarship,
our Year Honor Roll

Twyla Berry
Bookkeeping, English

Danna Blasingame
Buckeye Cheerleader, D.A.R. Award

Kelly Blasingame
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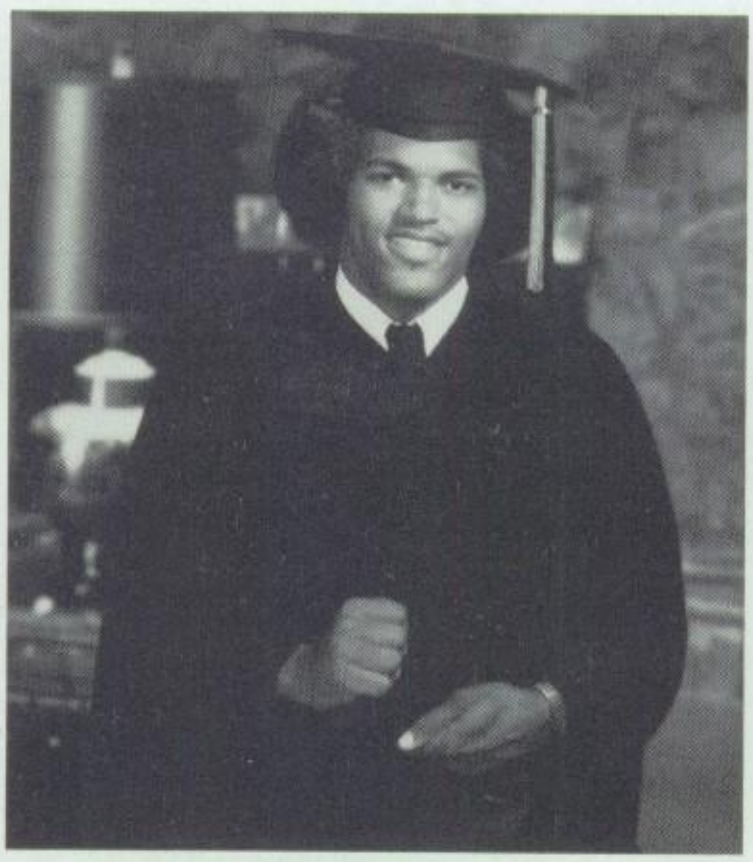


George Borens
Athletic Scholarship to U.T. at Arlington

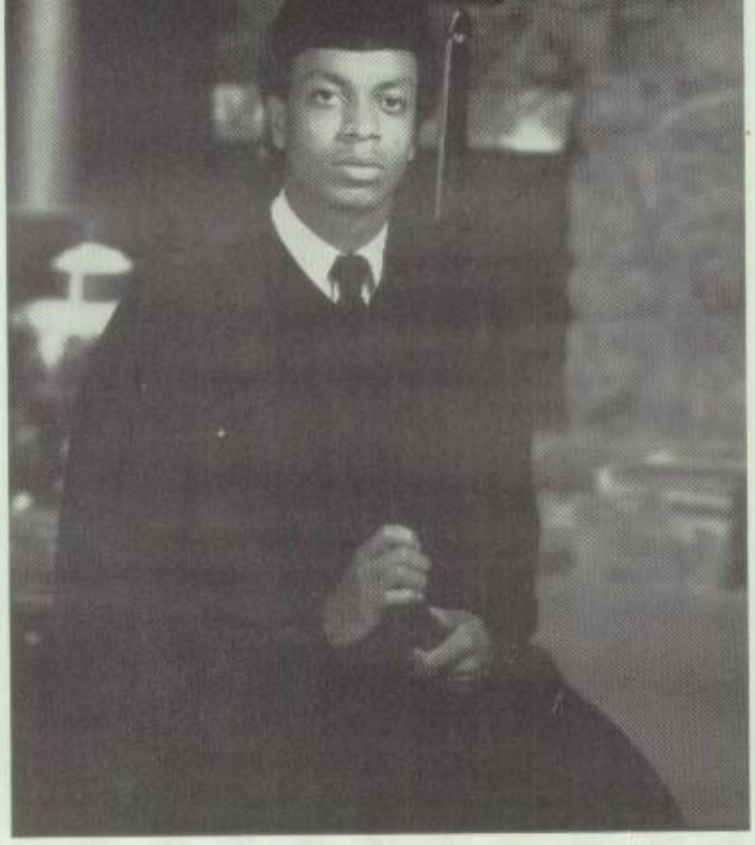
Kay Brown
Certificate of Participation in Stat
U.I.L. Competition

Amy Clemens
peech

Leland Davis
Tartt Scholarship to Lon Morris College,
Perfect Attendance Record

Lorena Dawson
Home Economics Cooperative
Education

Kay Elder
Certificate of Participation in State Competition



Kevin Finch
Certificate of Participation in State Competition

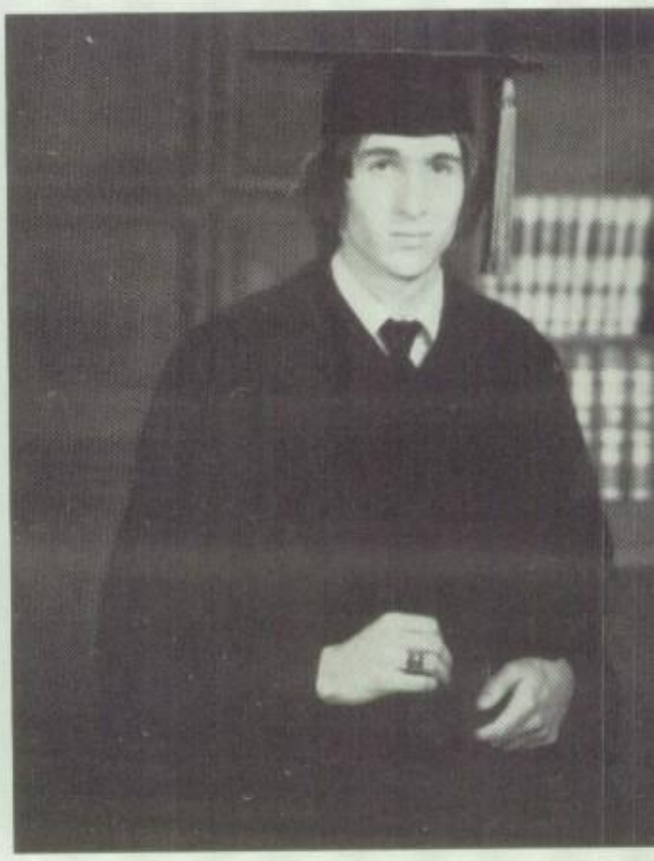
Markeef Fluellen
Boys Athletics, Certificate of Participation in State Competition

Mike Gee
Perfect Attendance Record

Deborah Graham
Distributive Education, Certificate of Participation in State Competition, Four Year Honor Roll

Debbie Gilliam
Four Year Honor Roll

Marty Hodges
Buckeye Cheerleader, Senior Class President, Four Year Honor Roll



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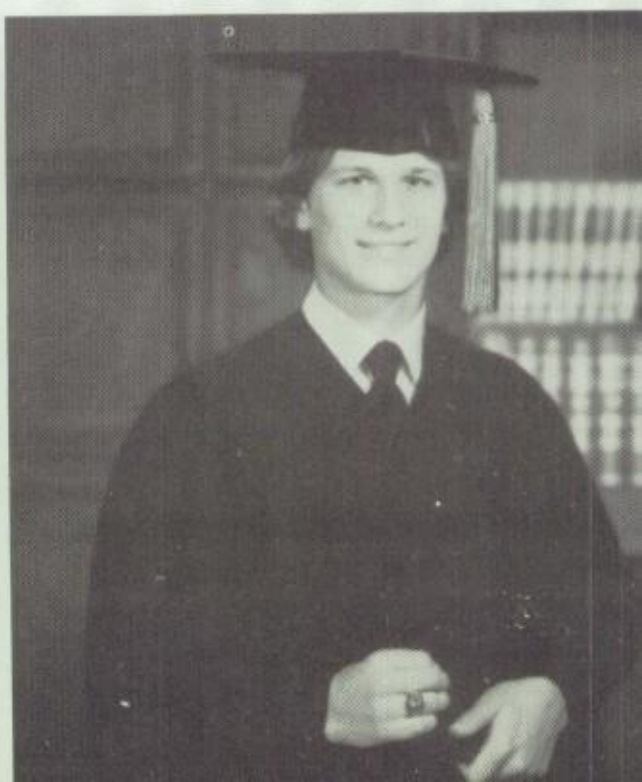
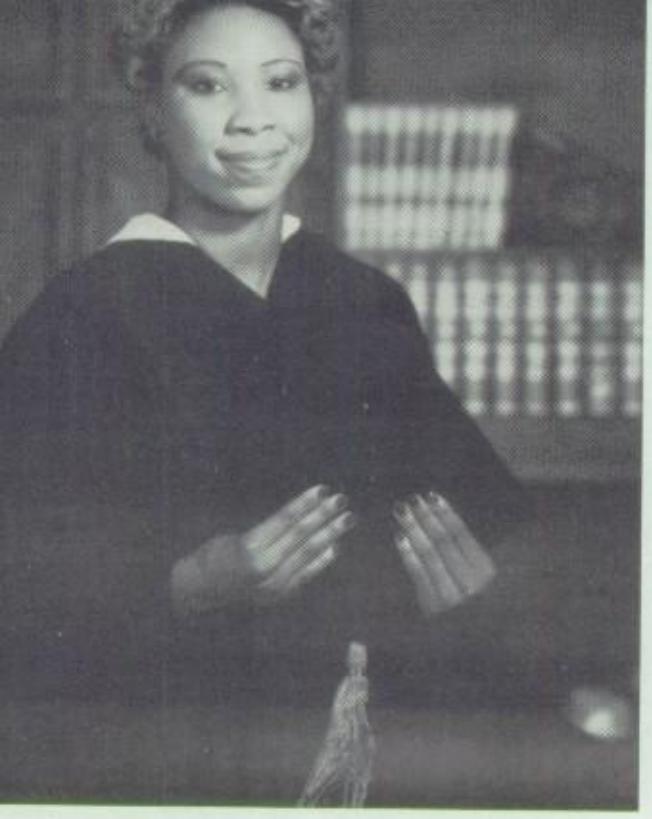
Appointment to Air Force Academy

Windell Hollis
Perfect Attendance Record





Lisa Jones
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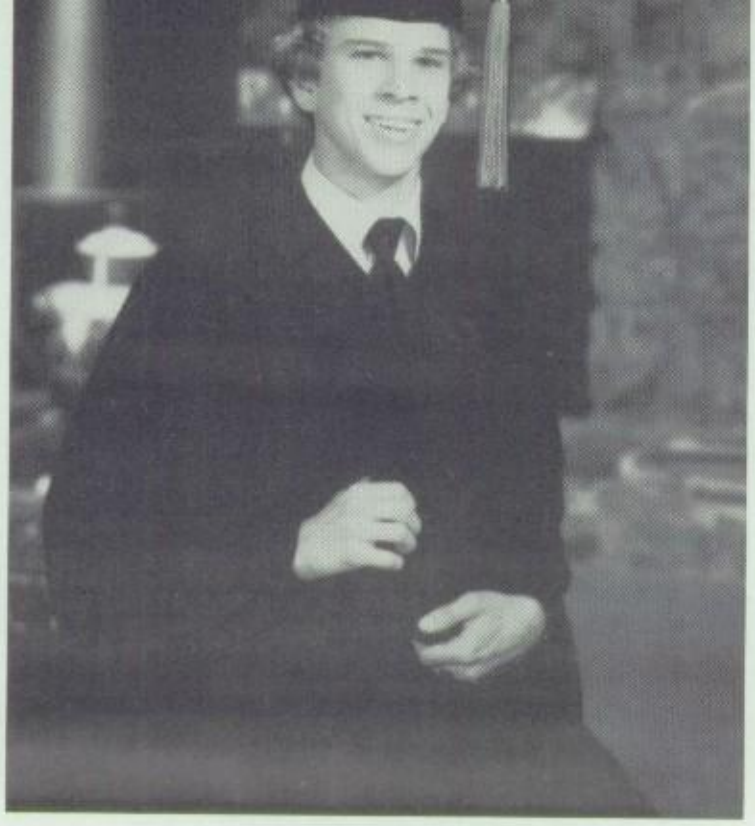
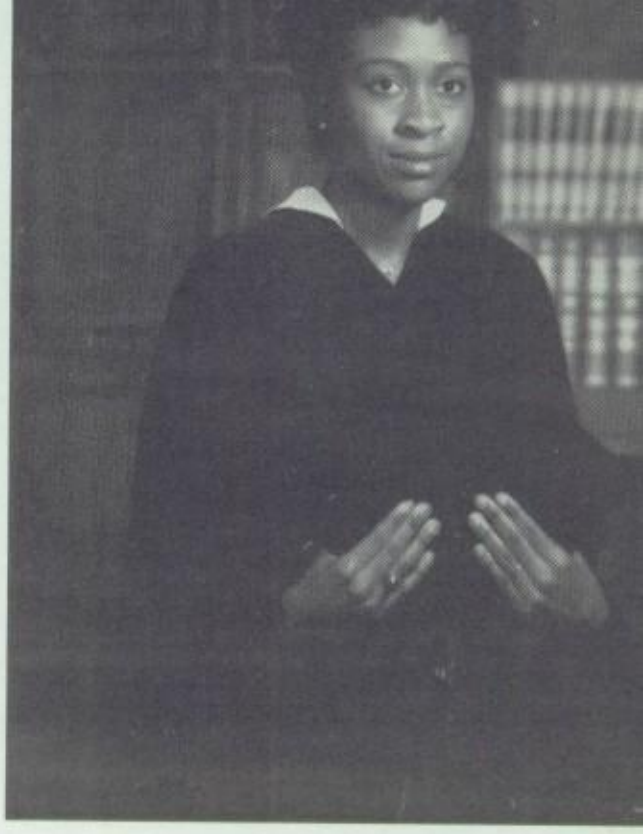


Roy Jones
Perfect Attendance Record



Barbara King
Shorthand, Perfect Attendance
Record

Abel Loy
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Randy McDonald
John Phillip Sousa Band Award

Laura Martin
Four Year Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance Record, Certificate of Participation in State Competition

Lynne Martin
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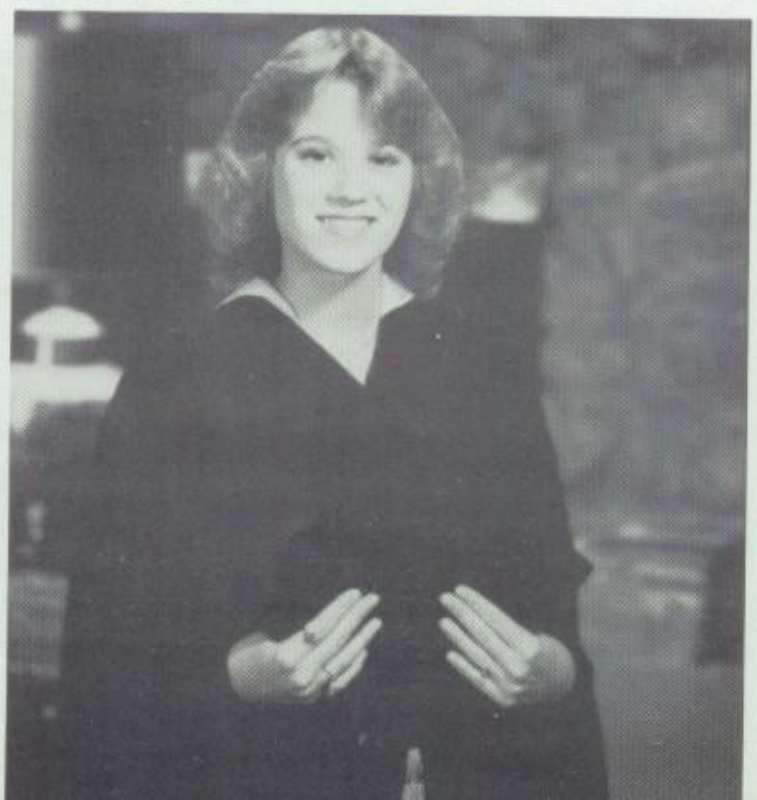
Adra Meadows
Beta Sigma Phi Scholarship, Perfect Attendance Record



Sam Mooney
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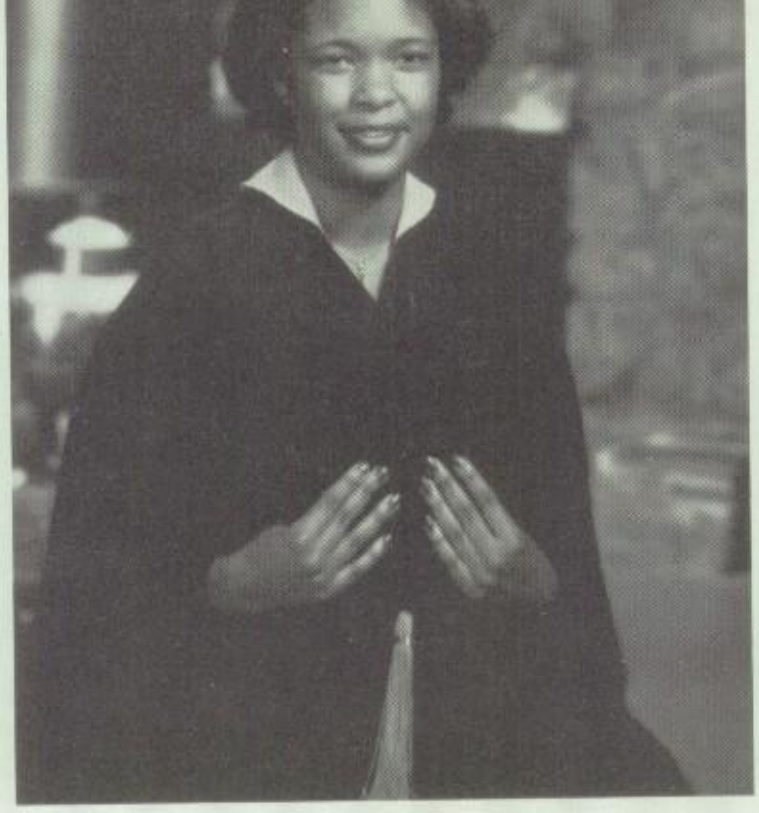
Larry Nelson
Vocational Agriculture Cooperative



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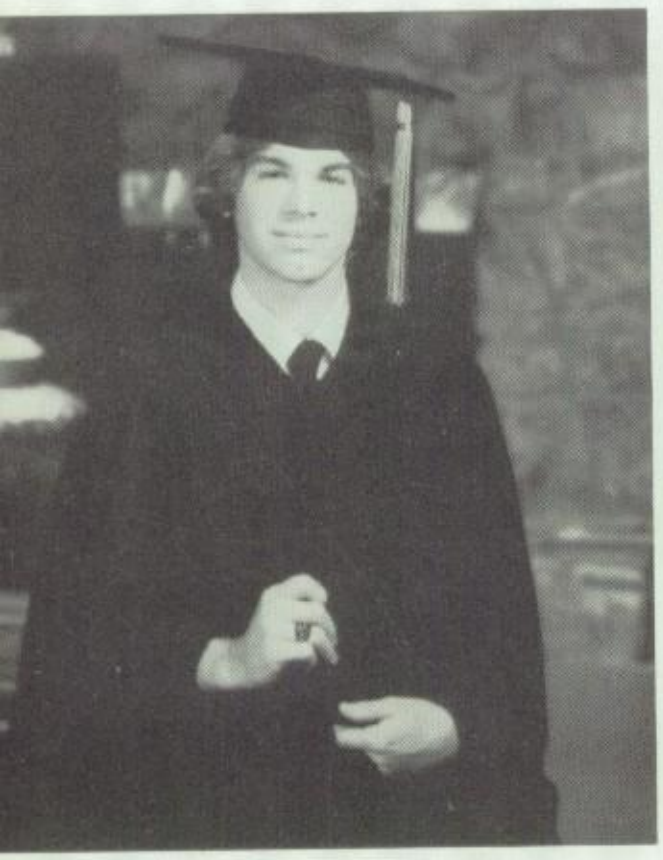
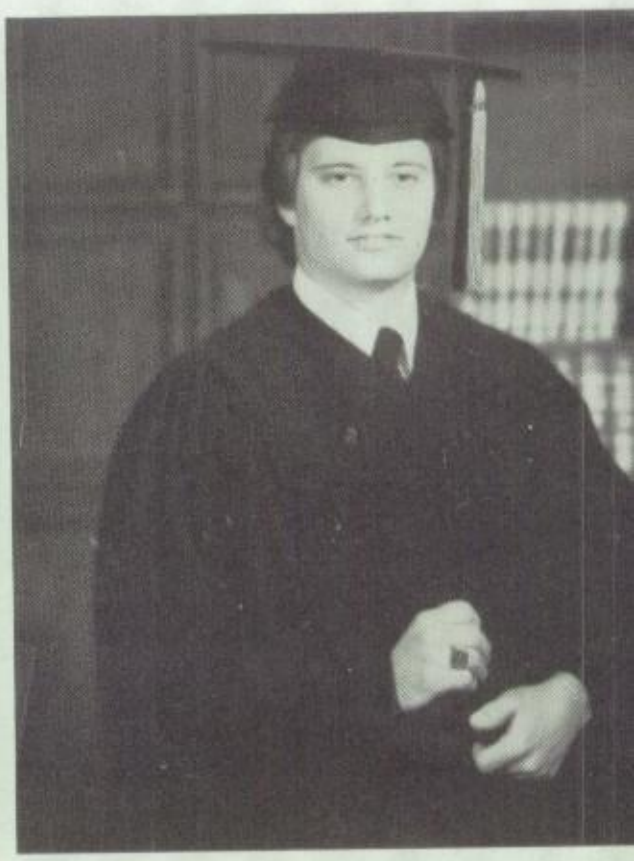
Delta Sigma Theta Scholarship, Homemaking

Mike Owens
Electrical Trades



Kris Perkins
Science, Four Year Honor Roll

Cynthia Phillips
Vocational Office Education, Certificate of Participation in State Competition



Terry Pitman
American Petroleum Instit
Scholarship

Kevin Porter
Cook Scholarship to Kilgore College, Four Year Honor Roll

Sharon Simmons
Buckeye Cheerleader, Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship, Perfect Attendance Record

Betty Jean Smith
Buckeye Cheerleader, Certificate of
ticipation in State Competition

Marie Smith
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Kim Stevens
Buckeye Cheerleader, Drama

Tina Thompson
Perfect Attendance Record

Barry Turner
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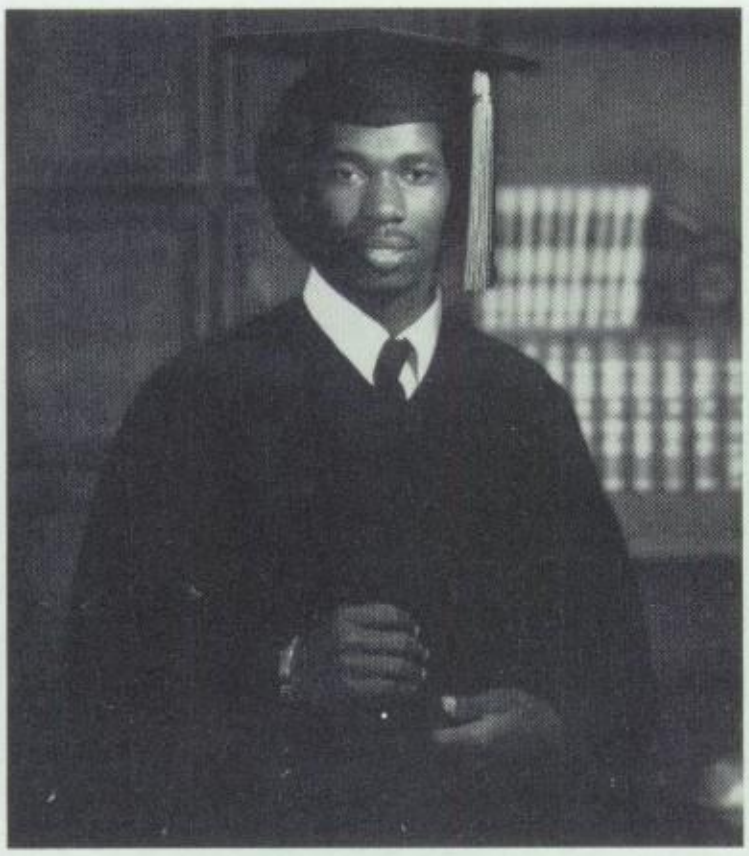
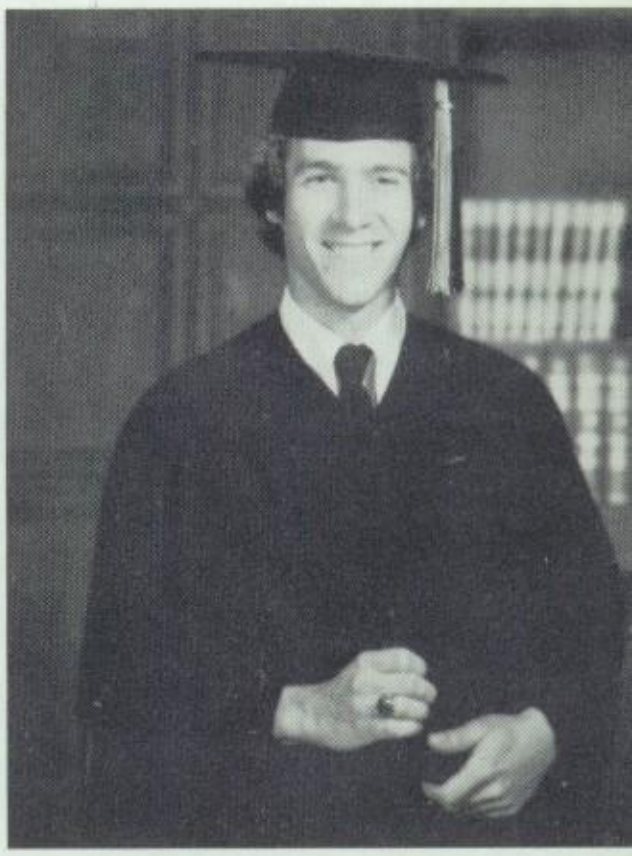


Russell Waters
Iris Garden Club's W. L. Dixon Scholarship,
Student Council



Lane Williams
Automechanics, Perfect Attendanc
Record

At Ease! Band! Honors

"I am proud of our Buckeye Band students for their willingness to participate and achieve throughout the year," remarked Jim Clifton, after his first year as the High School Band Director.

The Buckeye Band marched the longest season ever, with fifteen football games, four parades, and two marching contests, later receiving a superior rating in the UIL Concert/Sight Reading contests, a first for the band in a number of years.

Band members qualified for award jackets by competing in the UIL solo and ensemble contests. Three musicians advanced to the State solo competition.

Other instrumentalists participated in the Four States, All Senior and All Region Honor Bands. The Buckeye Band also placed 31 members in the All District Honor Band.

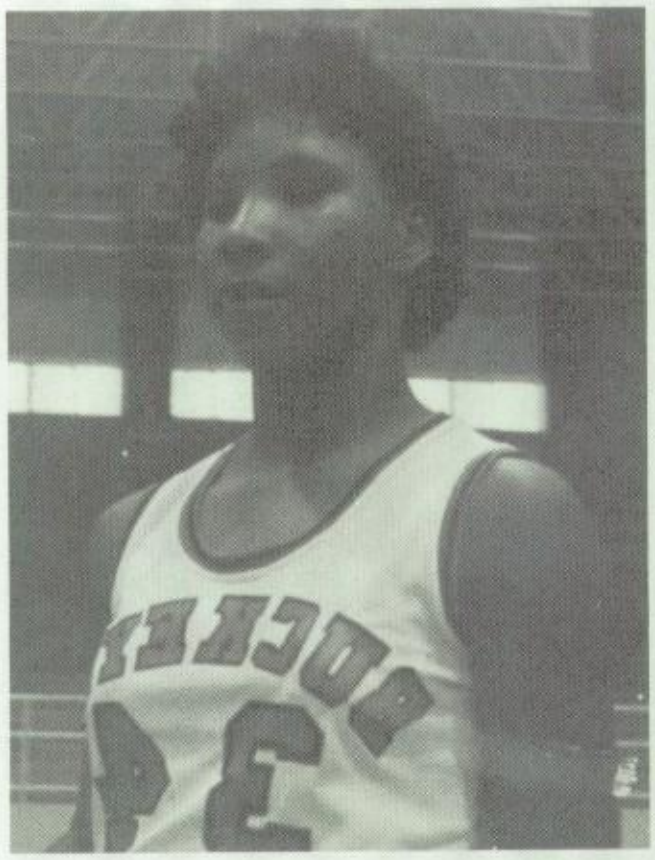
Above: Ken, Ledonna, David, and Randy made ones at the UIL solo contest. Ledonna, David, and Randy will advance to the State solo competition.
Right: Those making ones at Queen City are Jessie (not pictured), Steve, Christi, Wayne, Ledonna, and David. Ledonna, Ken, Randy and David made ones at the Harmony contest.

Left: District Band Members
Front Row: Sims, Cude. *Second Row:* Beal, K. Monk, C. W. Wilson, A. Smith, L. Wilson. *Third Row:* Mask. *4th Row:* Arrington, Moony, Hall, C. Smith, Osborne. *5th Row:* Wallace, Robinson, Steelman, W. Smith. *Top Row:* McDonald, R. Monk, Kitchens, Wisdom, Kirschke.
Below: Region Band Members are Sam, Carrie, and Ledonna.

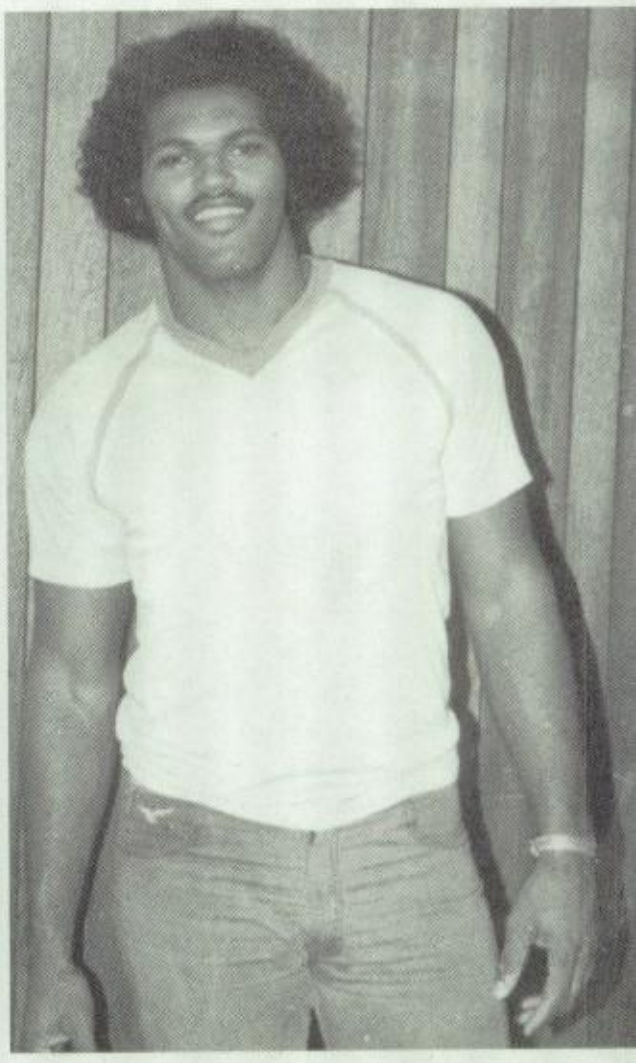
Upper Left: Bill, Randy, Ken, Karen, Amy and Sam placed in Four States Honor Band.
Above: Randy, Ken, Sam, Karen and Amy placed in the all Senior Honor Band.
Left: Band Jacket recipients are: *Front Row:* Sims, L. Wilson, Mooney, King. *Second Row:* Cavidson, Mask, C. Wilson, Tave. *Third Row:* Shelton, A. Smith, Gipson, Wisdom. *Fourth Row:* Wallace, Kitchens, F. Wilson. *Top Row:* Elioff, Blalack, W. Smith, Youngblood.

Athletic Ability Prevails

There were many team accomplishments at G.H.S., however there were many individual athletic achievements as well. Students excelled in football, tennis, basketball, and volleyball. Some received scholarships and others just recognition for their great athletic ability.



Lisa Jones was named Honorable Mention for Girls Basketball.

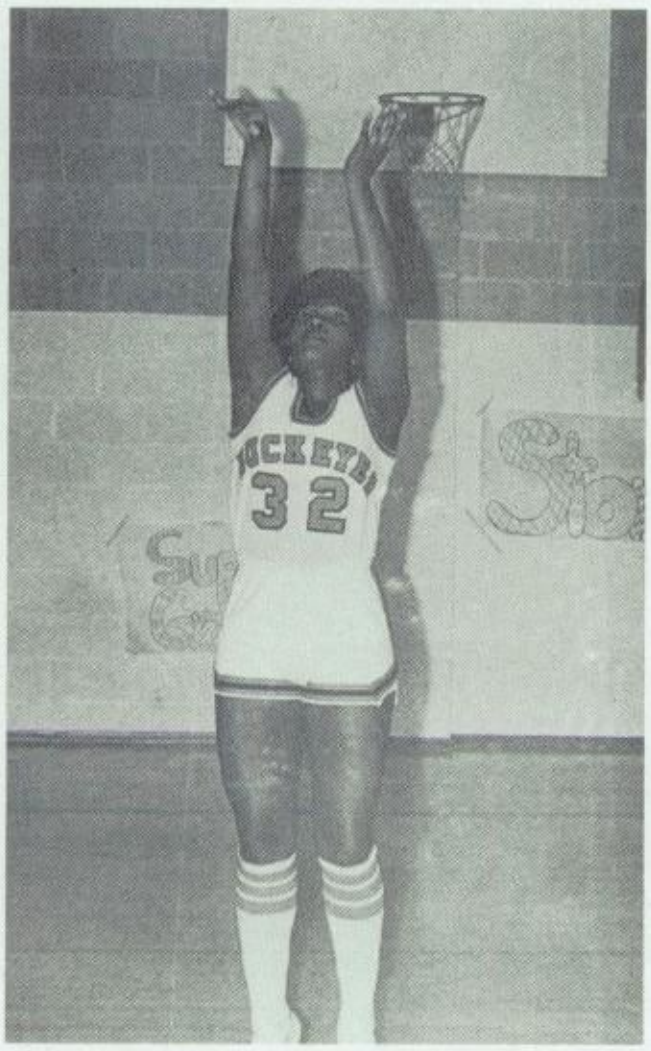


George Borens received a foo scholarship from UTA.

Donna Gordon was named Honorable Mention for Girls Basketball.

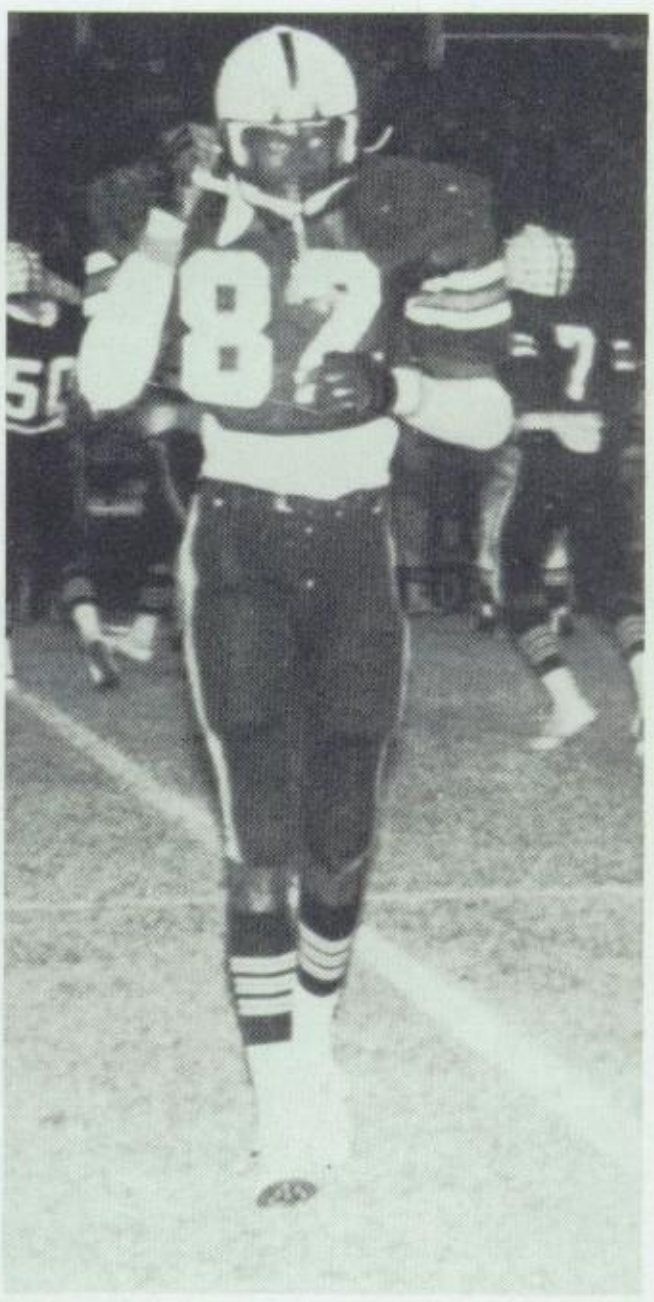
Jim Patterson and David Cockrill tennis state finalists.

sius Elder made All East Texas foot- team.



Rozena Thompson received the Stay Free Company Award.

All East Texas Girls Basketball, Rozena Thompson and Rosalind Jones.



Markeef Fluellen was named to the Texas High School Coaches Assoc. All-Star Football team.

Vo-Ag Winners Reach The To

Vo-Ag really has something to be proud of this year; some groups went all the way to State and came here with many honors:

Greenhand Conducting team won first in District and second in Area competition

Chater Farmer Conducting team won second in District and third in Area

FFA Quiz Team won third in District

Greenhand Skills team won second in District

Farm Radio Team won first in District

Chapter Farming Skills team won third in District

Extemporaneous Speaking team won second in District

Dairy Judging team won first in Texarkana

Pasture and Range team won second in Area

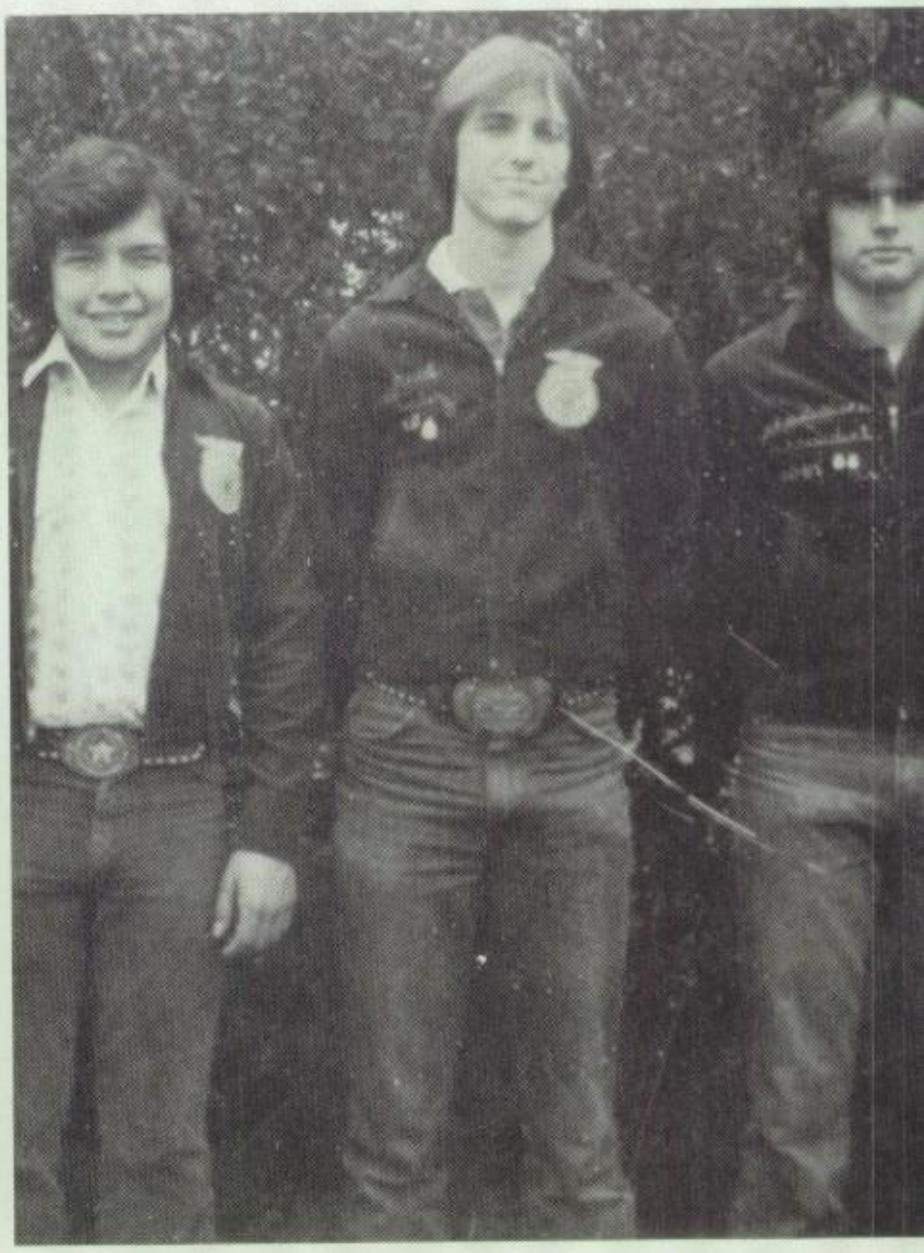
Forestry team won first i District and first in Area

Farm and Business Management team won fourth i State

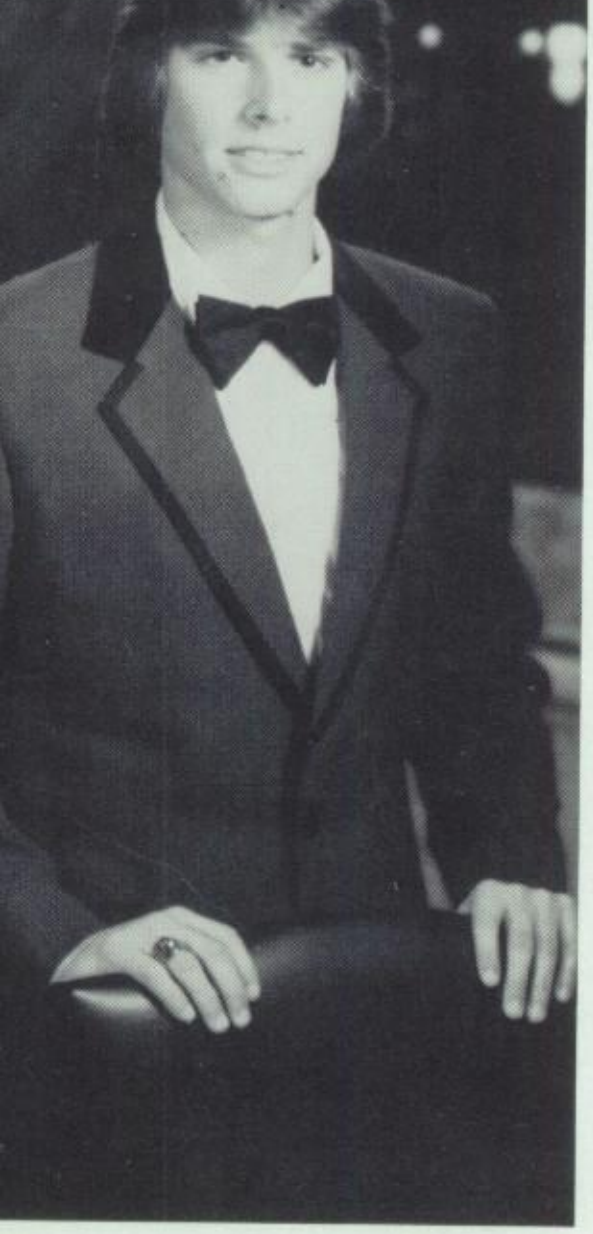
Livestock Judging team wo third in Sulfur Springs

Award District Sweepstake Award

Fourth in State: Paul Hagler, also High Individual; Jane Smith, David Cockrill.



Land, Pasture and Range team won first and secon District and third at Texarkana: Abel Loy, John Me John Bullock.



Above: First Row: K. White; C. Bayer; P. Johnson; C. Smith; *Second Row:* G. Smith; E. Hall; D. Fenlaw; B. Newman; *Standing:* D. Pendleton; D. Johnson; T. Sipes; L. Nelson.
Left: Senior John Bullock scored more points at District competition than any other person.

Dairy and Livestock team won first at Texarkana and third at Sulfur Springs: Glade Smith; Teresa Wright; Chris Sievert; Troy Nelson; Brent Newman; Jimmy Reed (picture unavailable).

Students Excel in Academics as Well as in Athletics

Along with all the other victories of the year, Gilmer High also experienced victory in U.I.L. literary events. Academic representation was excellent with seven students placing and twenty-six participating. Gilmer students competed in the following events: calculator, number sense, science, typing, spelling, ready-writing, and journalism and speech contests.

In Number Sense John Breazeale placed second in District and fifth in Region, w
Jim Patterson placing fourth in District.

In Calculator competition Gary Gipson placed second in District; Jim Patters
fifth; and Kelly Blasingame, seventh. Kris Perkins placed second in District Scie
competition.

Above: Lynne Martin placed third in Headlines and fourth in Feature Writing, while Jillana Mooney placed first in Editorials. Not pictured, Randy McDonald placed fifth in newswriting.
Right: Sheri Gipson and Karen Monk placed second in Typing and Ready-Writing. Paulette Verner placed fifth in Persuasive Speaking.

ATHLETICS

Buckeyes Put Gilmer On The Map

The season started out with a promising outlook and the Varsity Buckeyes made history by continuing their winning streak all the way to the State Finals. When the Buckeyes hit the field, there was a total effort through the entire game and until the final second. There was a strange new feeling pervading the student body. Pride was the main emotional feeling in the hearts of all, as we watched our classmates strive to reach the very top. Not only the students were affected, but the community as well. The people showed a new greater respect for the young people attending high school. The distinct accomplishments put Gilmer, Texas on the map and it hoped that these boys are always remembered as loyal and proud citizens, working for the benefit of the school and community.

Right: Jimmy tries for his 1,000 yard mark.
Below: Coach Waggoner gives last minute instructions.

Section by Kelly Blasingame

Above: Markeef and Cassius celebr the victory over Wylie.

Below: Perry persecutes a Yoeman at State Game.

SEMI-FINAL CHAMPS

Front Row: Hooper, D. Hollis, Burris, Williams, Breazeale, McKnight, Bradford, Kevin Lewis; *Second Row:* Klotz, W. Hollis, Baker, R. Lewis, Wren, Waters, Kenneth Lewis, Easley, Waggoner; *Third Row:* Deason, J. Tennison, Elder, Smith, Porter, Toms, Moore, S. Borens, M. Tennison, Patterson; *Back Row:* Harper, J. Ford, G. Borens, M. Ford, Hodges, Fluellen, Cockrill, Stone, Brown.

Above: Roger devastates the Eagle defense.

FOOTBALL 1981

Season Games		*Playoffs*	
Hughes Springs	6-6	Van	6-8
Jefferson	7-0	Bi-District Champs	
Gladewater	10-8	Paul Pewitt	21-6
West Rusk	32-6	Regional Champs	
Brownsboro	41-0	Wylie	16-14
Mineola	54-12	Quarterfinal Champs	
Whitehouse	6-6	Kermit	28-0
Quitman	6-2	Semi-Final Champs	
White Oak	13-7	Cameron Yoe	3-26
Lindale	30-21		

District Champions

Left: Buckeyes start a new tradition by holding hands on kickoffs.

Above: Buckeyes win the District Championship with a series of explosive plays.

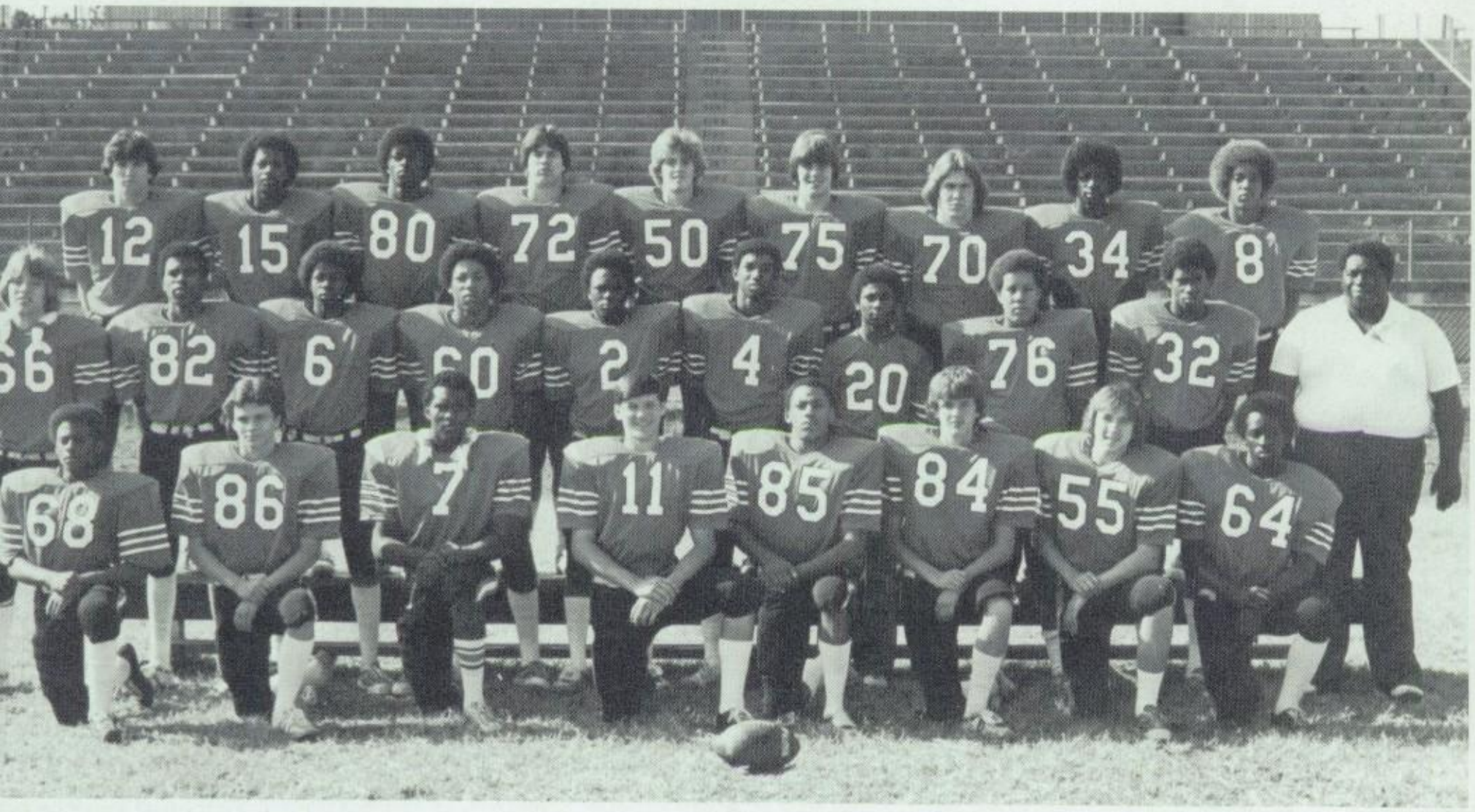
Below: Chuck scrambles for extra yardage against Wylie.

The Golden Toe never fails.

An Eagle defender grasps desperately for Jerry in the final seconds of the game.

Seniors: Front Row: Burris, Williams, Easley, Patterson; *Second Row:* Hollis, Bak Lewis, Waters, M. Tennison; *Third Row:* J. Tennison, Elder, Porter, Moore; *Bo Row:* Boren, Ford, Toms, Fluellen.

Junior Varsity



Front Row: Tave, Nichols, Abron, Wilson, Timmons, Bonds, Breazeale, L. Jones; *Second Row:* McEachern, J. Jones, Webb, C. Jones, Ford, Robinson, Beal, Rhoden, Duffey, Coach Beal; *Back Row:* Foreman, Fluellen, Hollis, Henson, Smith, Daniels, Davidson, Buchanan, Borens.

District Champion Freshman Buckeyes

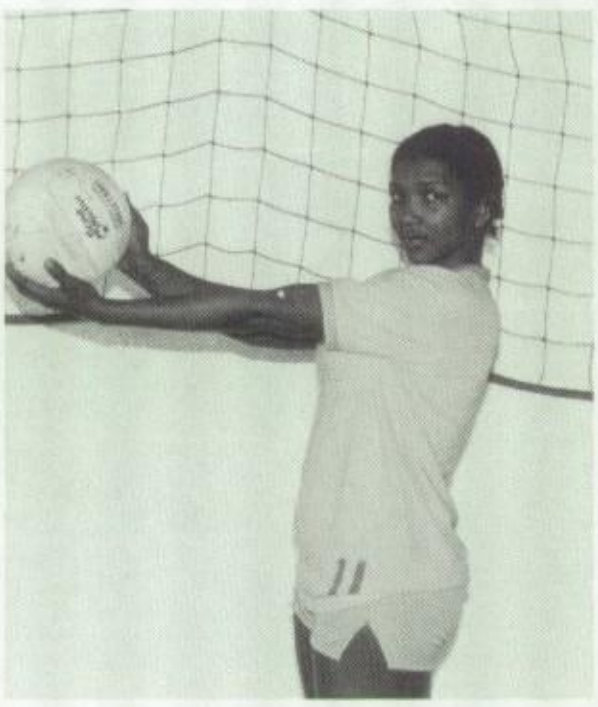
Front Row: Warren, Knox, Lyles, Wyatt, Patton, Denkins, M. Jones, R. Darden, Moore; *Second Row:* Burns, Bradford, Grant, Dacus, Collier, Mitchell, Stephenson, W. Darden, Melton; *Third Row:* Coach Watson, Fennell, Patterson, Hudgins, Waters, Cargil, Green, Lovett, Bonds, Brem, Coach Smith; *Back Row:* White, Irwin, Tomlin, Puckett, Carter, Booker, Harris, Palmer, Reditt, Young.

Serve, Set and Spike!

The Lady Buckeyes started practicing on Aug. 10. The hard work paid off with a season opener that pulverized the Spring Hill Pantherettes. The team proved a powerhouse for various opponents and won 2nd place in the first annual White Oak Tournament after losing to White House and Quitman, the Lady Bucks came back and proved to be "One Hard Nut to Crack" as they followed their new coach, Donna Gaddis on a victorious joy ride to end it all with a record of 12-10.

Right: Srs. Donna Gordon and Lisa Jones are All-District, also.
Below: Junior Rozena Thompson received All-District and will be a prime factor in next year's wins.

Front Row: M. Henry, L. Wayne, C. Beasley, R. Campbell, D. Gordon; *Back Row:* R. Thompson Dufour, Coach Gaddis, T. Wright, L. Jones.



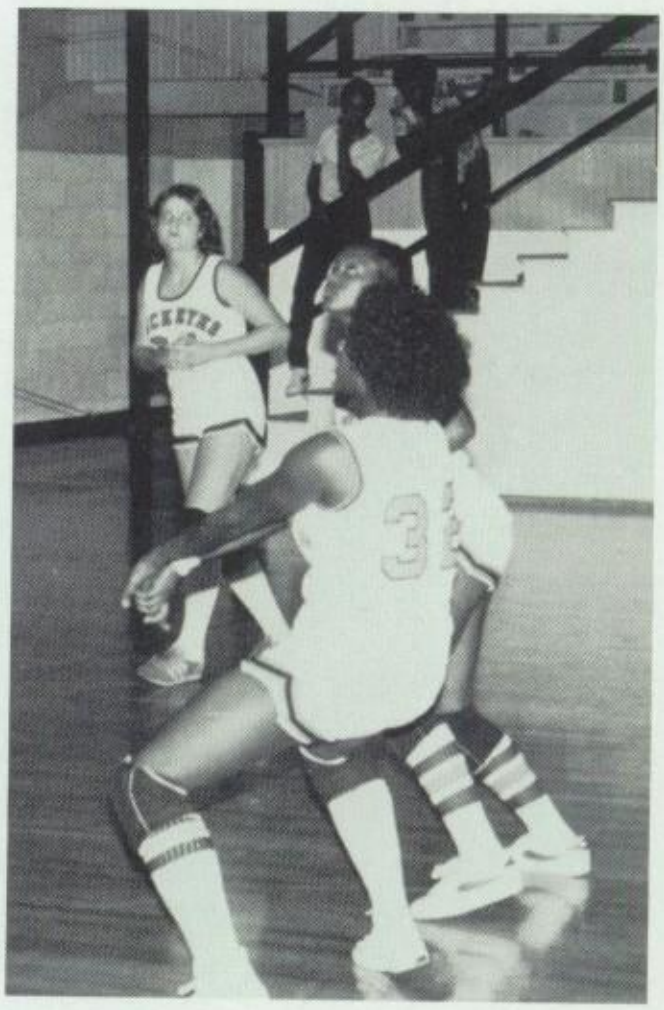
Right: "Pow!!" A great serve by Theresa contributing to the victory over the Eagles.

na falls into position to break a power
e from the Diana Eagles.

Above: "Mine" screams Smokey, setting for the spike.
Left: More power to you, thinks Susan with a fantastic serve.

It was a fun season with many victories although there were defeats. But these ladies know even though you don't win all the time, "If you give it all you've got," you have still won.

Row: Jones, Gunther, Martin, Chandler, Loy, Brown, Beasley, Finch, Graham, Lambert, *Back*
Mgr. Verner, Coach Gaddis, Mgr. Smith.



Rozena bends to a great position to bump the ball for a good spike.

Bucks On The Rebound

Although the Boys Basketball team got off to a late start they did their best to prove that there's more to the game than just winning. When the boys hit the court there was total team effort. The season ended with a record of 10-5. Losing was disappointing but each game proved to be an exciting battle.

Standing: Coach Smith, Phillips, Stone, Tanner, Fluellen, Hagler, Cockrill, C Watson; *Kneeling:* Hodges, Harper, Waters, Morgan, Finch, Williams, Arlin Mgr. Deason.

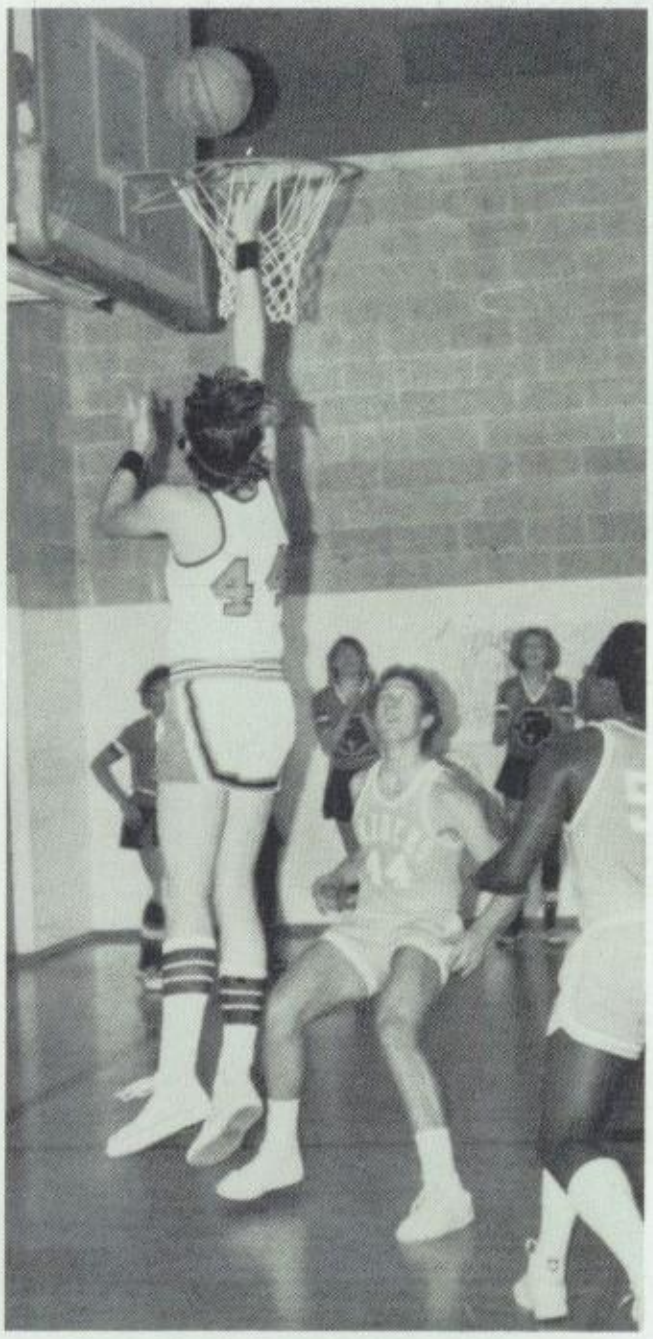
Standing: Abron, Moon, Timmons, Fluellen, Hollis, Nutt, Duffey, Robinson, Webb, Buchanan, Jones; *Kneeling:* Mgr. Deason, Coach Watson, Beal

Kevin sets up for two at the free line.

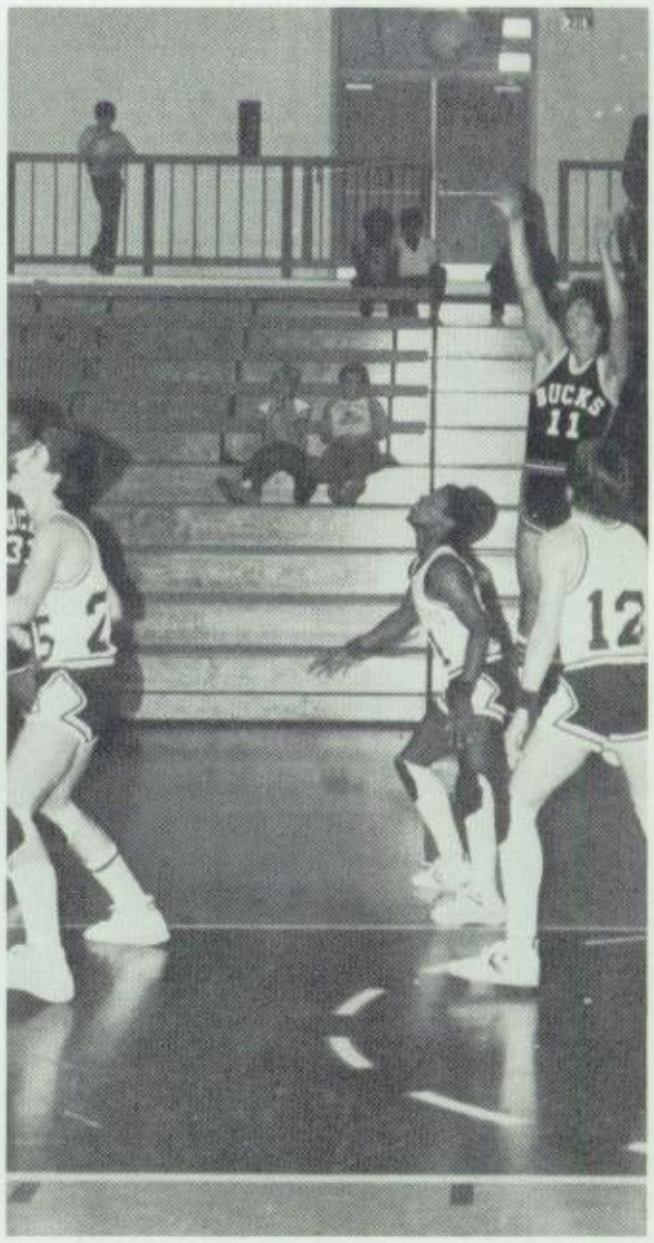
ft to Right: Harris, Bradford, Lovett, Palmer, Green, Booker, Puckett, Irwin, rden, Waters, Dacus, Collier

arles and Markeef keep their eyes on ir opponent.

rry establishes a good position for ense.



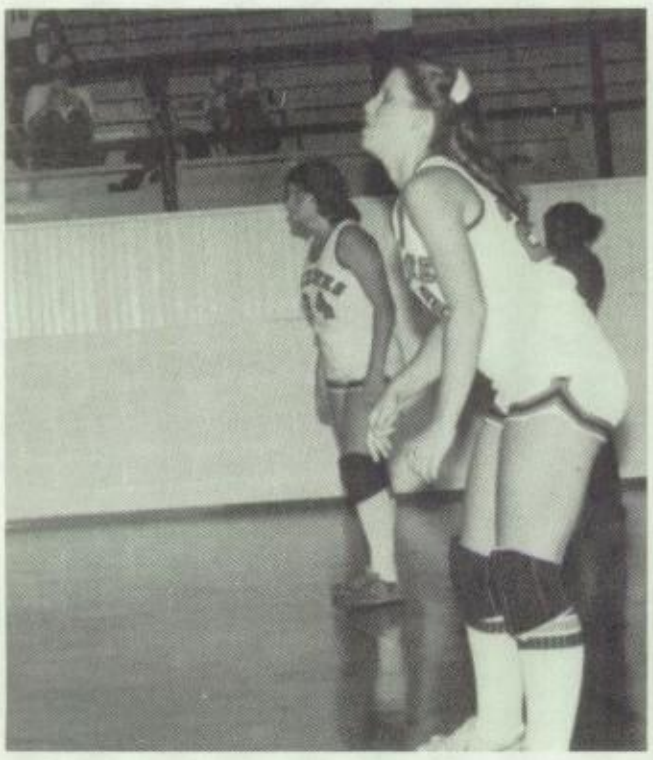
Jump high Danny shoot for two.



David leaps for two points.

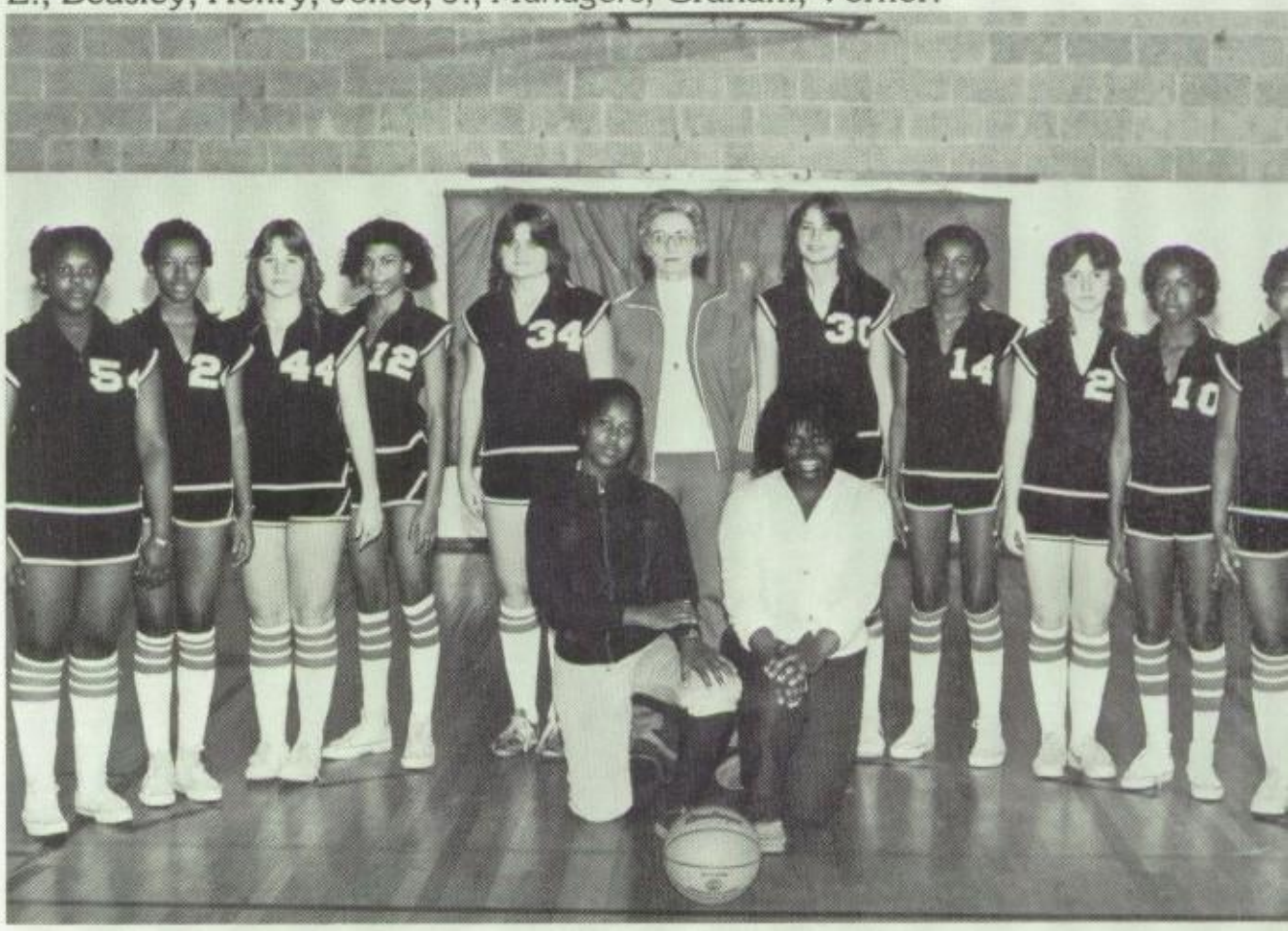
Lady Bucks Shoot For Tw

Long work outs, sore joints, and lots of practice go into being a good basketball player. The Lady Bucks showed that this pays off. The girls scored many points against the opposing teams and found that team work was prominent. Spirit was always present even when the Lady Bucks were behind. They never failed to work as a team.



Susan sets her stand to play good defense.

Varsity: Wayne, Smith, Gordon, Thompson, Dufour, Coach Beal, Jones, R., Jo
L., Beasley, Henry, Jones, J.; *Managers,* Graham, Verner.



Junior Varsity: Beasley, Jones, Gunter, Johnson, Wright, Coach Powell, Fen
Cain, Oates, Murphy, Finch; *Managers:* Graham, Verner.

szena Thompson demonstrates her hnique of jump shots for the Lady cks.

onna concentrates for an easy two.

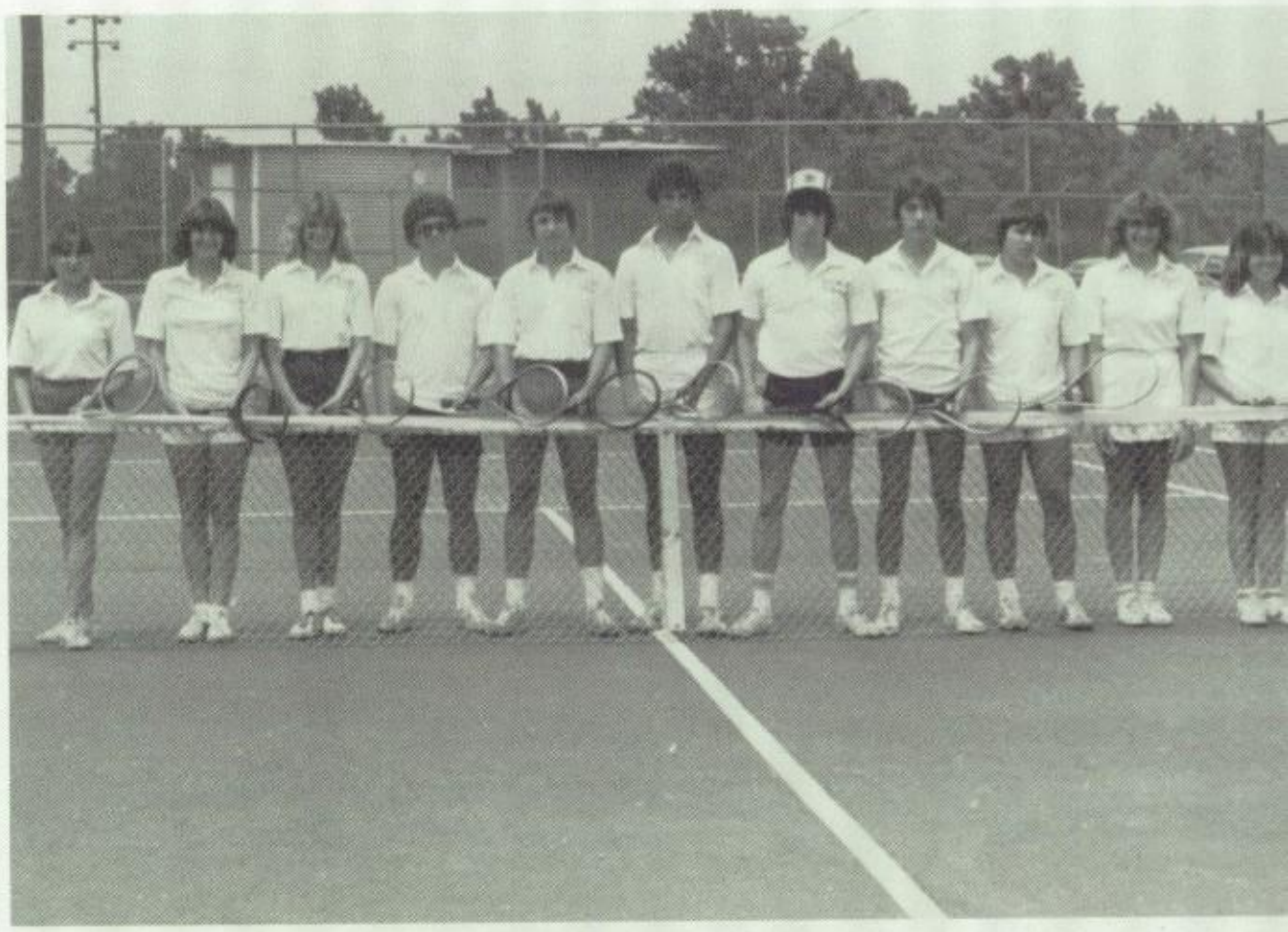
Lisa Jones ties the game with a shot against the Raiders.

Setting it up, and putting it in, are Donna's and Roszena's techniques for winning.

Rosalind jumps high to tip the ball to Smokey.

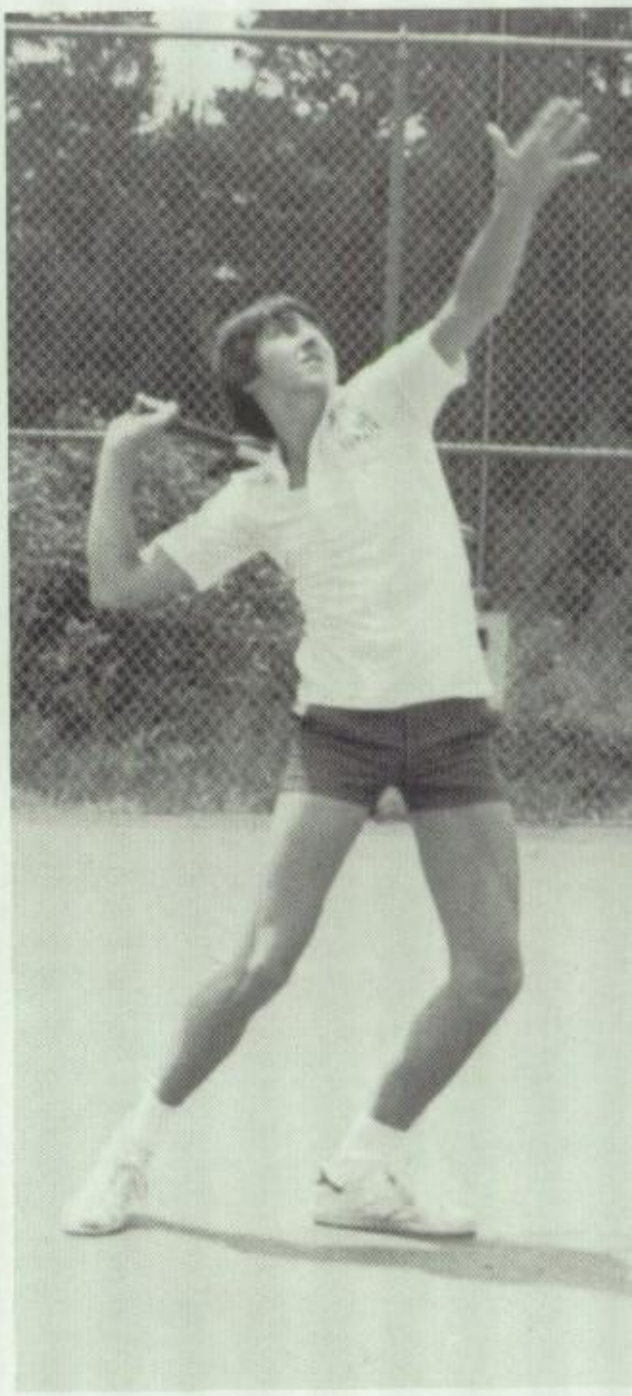
For The *Love* Of The Game

As tennis season began, the tennis team faced one of the toughest seasons they had ever had. They knew their work was cut out for them, but they always found time to play "Around the World" or baseball. When the work began, they played in many tournaments bringing home several trophies. Many team members advanced to the Regional and State Tournaments, and looked forward to a better year next year.

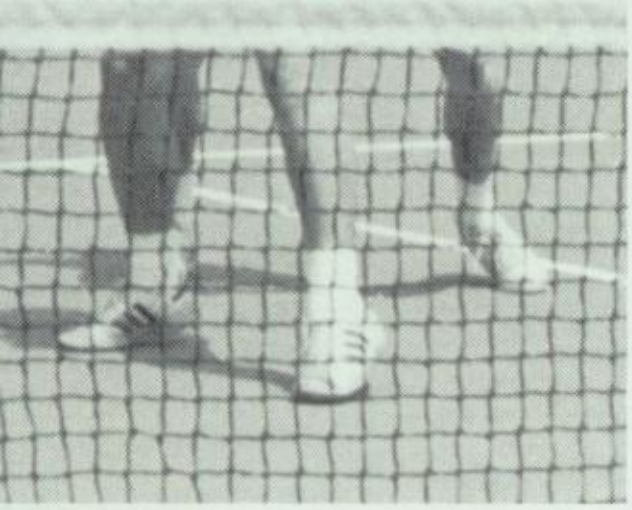


Varsity Tennis Team: Teri Smith, E. Trotter, K. Blasingame, J. Patterson, J. Breazeale, D. Coo Tommy Smith, M. Sustaire, F. Breazeale, S. Simmons, S. Schoon. Not Pictured: Cathy Davidson.

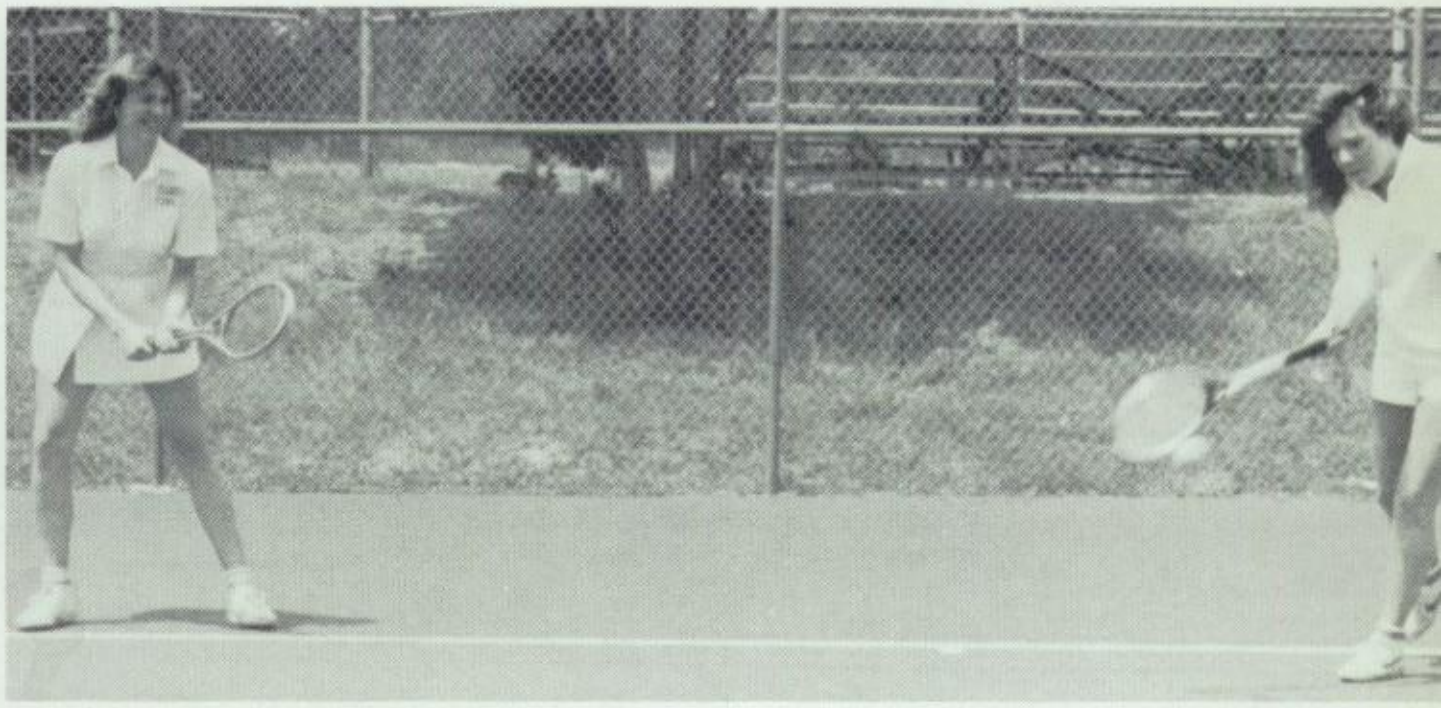
Junior Varsity Tennis Team: T. Sims, K. Parker, J. Catron, T. Davidson, D. Pitman.



Above: Mark serves his way to victor
Left: Jim and David advance to the S Tournament with a second place fini Regionals.

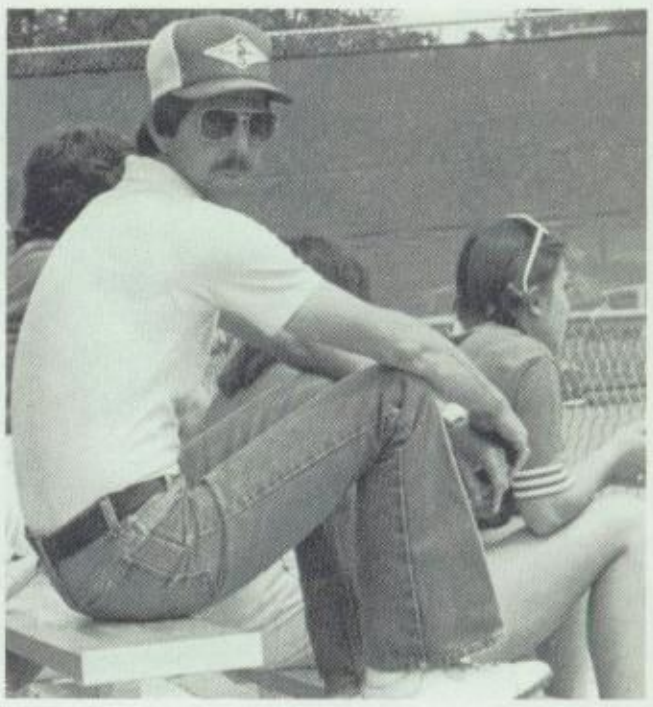


mmy and Frank believe in teamwork.



Above: Sharon and Susan warm up before an important match.
Below: Elaine and Kelly advance to Regionals with a first place finish at the District Tournament.

Above: Teri's serve is the key to her game.
Left: John always has the advantage when he is at the net.



Coach Dan Blasingame is an avid spectator when his team members take the court.

Just A Putt Awa

Once again Boys Golf hac
good season. After a second pl
finish at District, they had h
hopes to continue to State. Desp
a strong showing at Regional, t
finished fourth in the Regio
standings.

Scott Williams, Kent Powers, Rusty Green, Les Morris, Donny Arrick. Not pictured Russell Patterson.

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Lisa Herndon, Deborah Gramah, Laura Martin, Cyndi Pillips

Girls Golf made their mark on 16-AAA competition. Playing in many tournaments, and bringing home many first place wins, led to a first place at District. They advanced to Regional and brought home the winning title. From there they went to the State Finals, only to place sixth.

ra executes her winning backswing at
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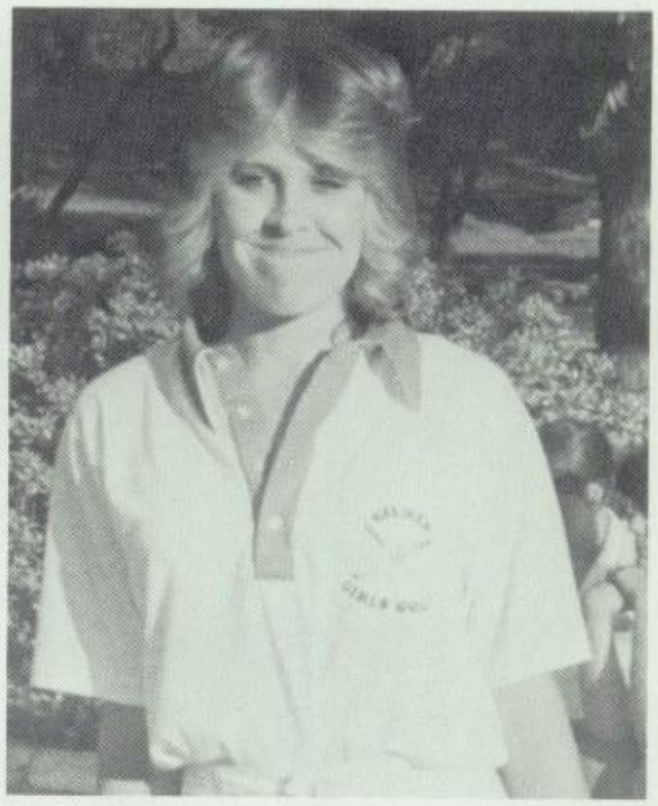
Warming up, Cyndi is ready for a hole-in-one.

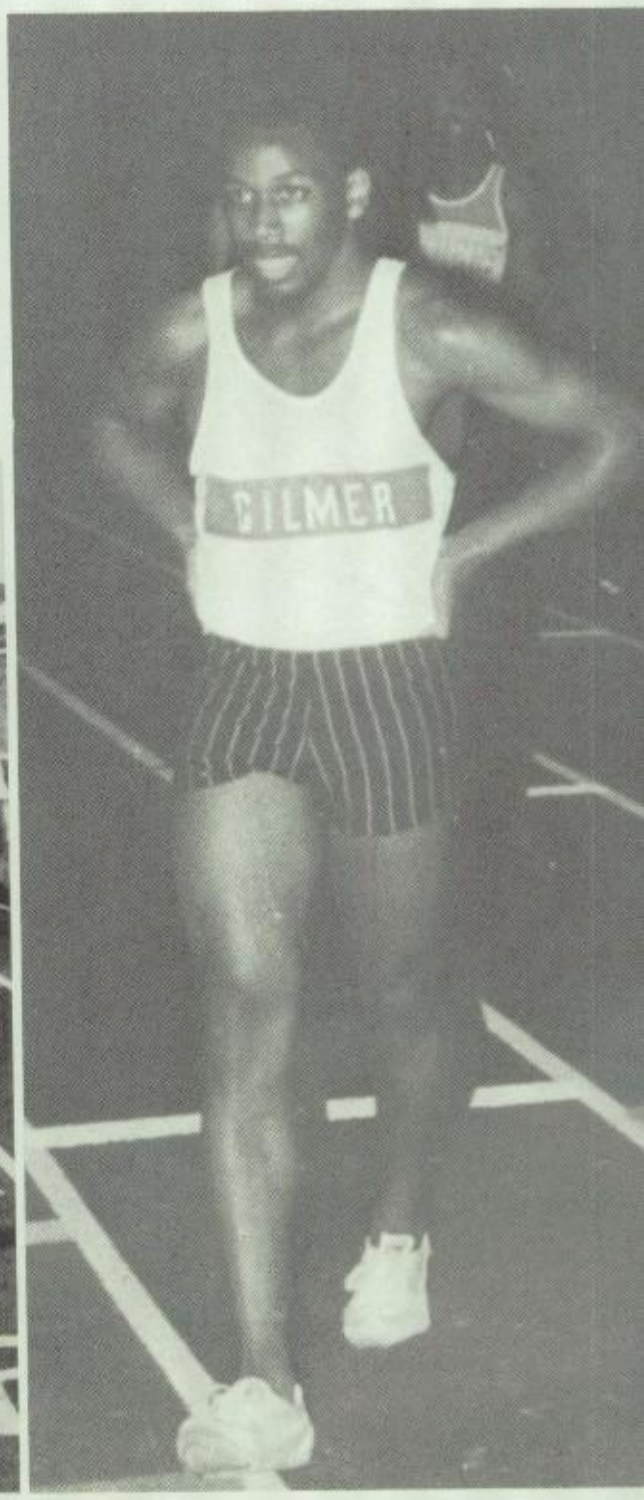


Deborah is all smiles after a Regional victory.

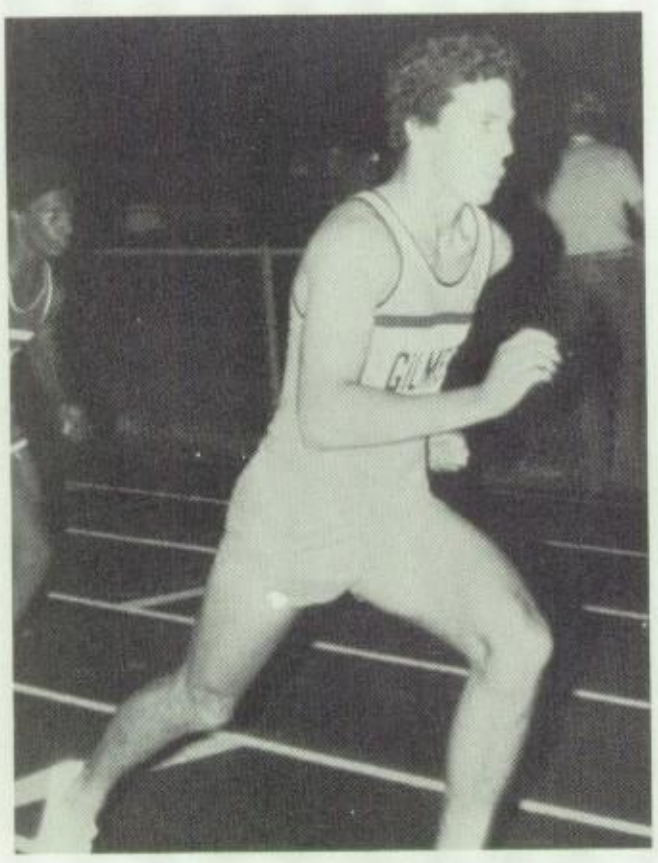
Buckeye Track Tean

1982 proved to be a great year for the Buckeye track team. When the season began, the team was forced to travel to other schools to practice because of the bad condition of the track. But construction was started on a new track, and it was finished on the eve of the Buckeye Relays. From there the team went on to become District champions. This, however, was not the end of track season for the Buckeyes. The team continued winning and went on to become regional and stage champions in the 400 meter dash and the mile relay.

Varsity: Kneeling: McKnight, Waggoner, Venters, Deason, Klotz; *Standing:* Coach McGinnis, Timmons, Hollis, Fluellen, Harper, Finch, Coach Davis; *Not Pictured:* Waters, Bennett, Tennison, Borens, Elder, Lewis, Ford.



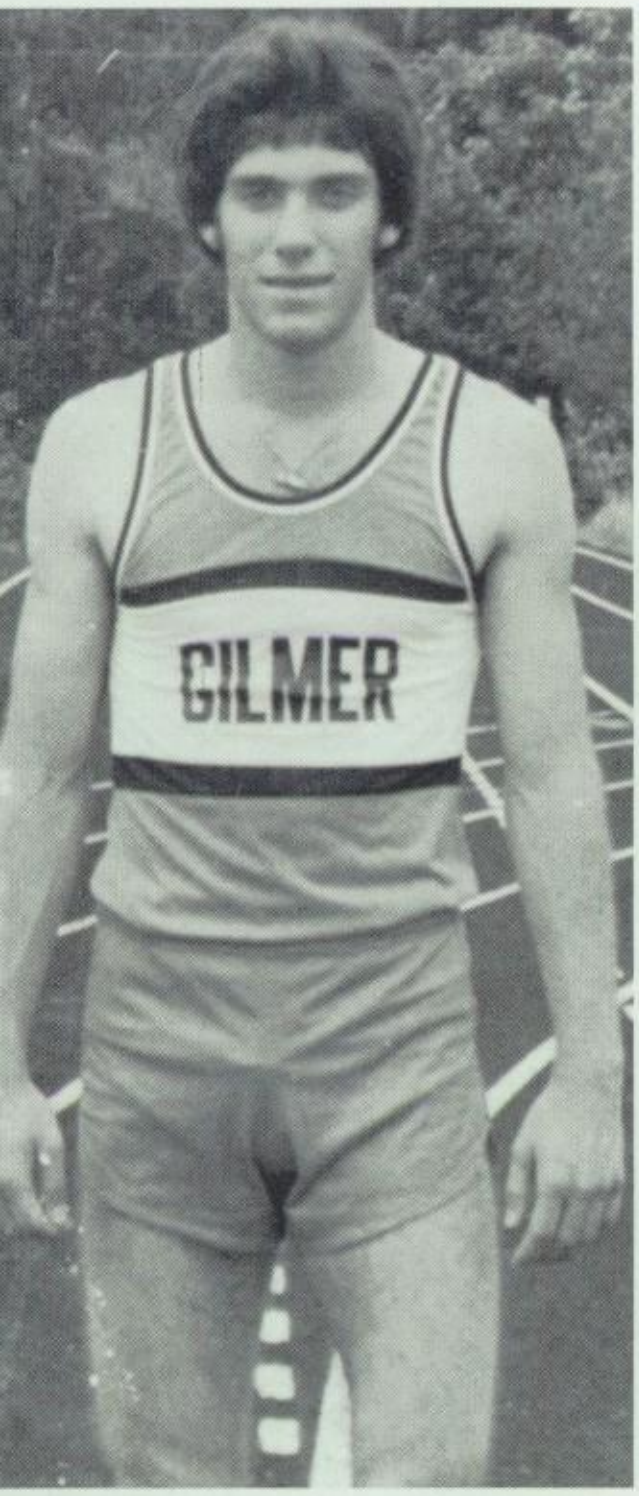
Rodger McKnight catches his br after a hard race.



David Cockrill tries to come in a winner at the Buckeye Relays.

Denny Timmons and Markeef Fluellen practice hand-offs at the state meet

Takes It To The Top



uck Waggoner — State Champion in 400 meter dash.

State winners in the mile relay — Chuck Waggoner, Denny Timmons, Markeef Fluellen, Kevin Finch.

Varsity: Sitting: Caldwell, Jones, Cargill, Bell Tave, Monk, Kevin Lewis, Beal; *Kneeling:* Klotz, Moon, den, Kenneth Lewis, Wilson, Abron, Borens, Deason; *Standing:* Coach McGinnis, Duffey, Robinson, lges, Nutt, Ford, Brown, Buchanan, Coach Davis.

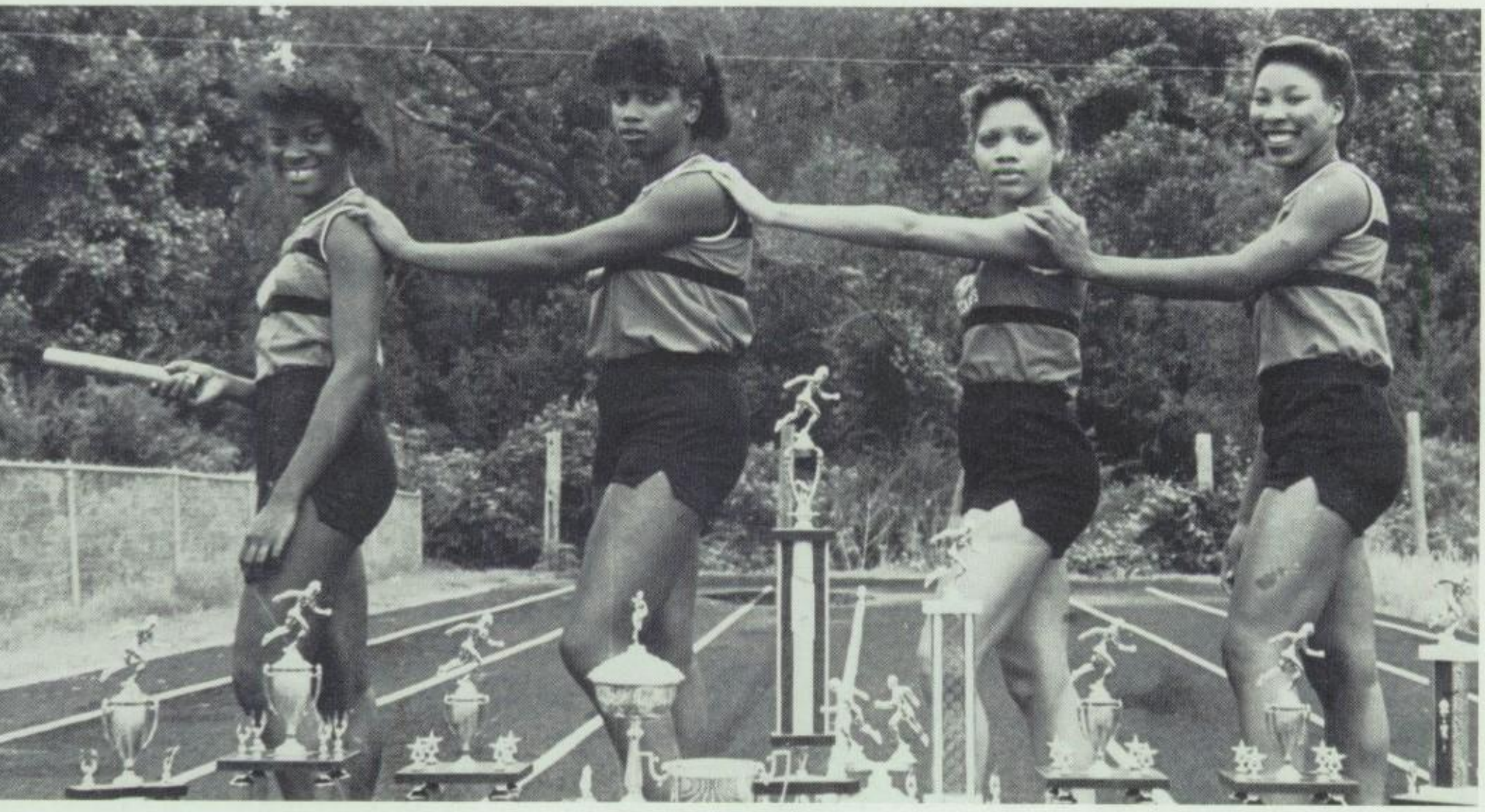
Kevin Venters tries to get ahead.

Lady Bucks Making Tracks!

The G.H.S. track girls got off to a great start as they entered their first meet, beginning at the point about where they left off the previous year. The girls went on to make big accomplishments as a team. They dominated all their meets by the advantage of having three strong relay teams, speed to take a first, second, and third in 200 and 100 dash, along with the debt added by the field events. They improved every meet even upon reaching their first defeat which came at Pittsburgh where Mt. Pleasant proved to be three-tenths of a second faster. This was also the time when Lady Bucks reached a very important goal of the season — they broke 4 minutes in the mile relay. Instead of the usual 4:06 it was 3:58. Lady Bucks advanced all the way to state. District was easily taken as they strided to a victory with only the wind at their heels. Going on to Regional, Lady Bucks kept up the pace! Running away with plenty of slack, they separated themselves from all the rest. Upon reaching State Lady Buckeyes learned about stiff competition. Losing the state meet the Lady Buckeyes placed sixth out of the top eight teams. The Lady Bucks placed 2nd in the 800, 3rd in the 400, and 4th in the 1600 meter relay. Overall the team accomplishments were 23 first place trophies in the relays and 7 first place team trophies. They ended the season with brighter hopes for the up-coming season and another shot at the AAA championship.

Top L. to R.: Coach Gaddis, C. Elder, C. Smith, Brown, L. Jones, Coach Beal, R. Jones, Thompson, Coach Powell, *Middle:* Jones, Cain, Cates, Wa Elder, *Bottom:* Graham, Murphy, Henry, Davis, Gordon, J. Smith.

Left: Smokey and Rosiland stand proud of their success in the 100 meter dash and the long jump.
Below: The 400 meter relay presents Wayne, R. Jones, B. J., and L. Jones as the proud ladies who run to win.



Left: Mile relay — Elder, Davis, J. Jones, B. J. — 4th in state with time of 3:56.

Baseball Season Starts With A "Slam!"

Coach Crow and his sluggers made a come-back compared to last year. The team as a whole improved drastically. They won most of their games which allowed the thrill of victory. The school spirit began in the fall and carried over into the spring sports since enthusiastic crowds gave them a lot of support.

Above Right: Al Hart throws the speeding ball to first base.
Above: A brilliant homerun was completed by Darin Hollis.
Right: Coach Crow congratulates Riley Hodges on a perfect play.

First row: W. Hollis, Dacus, Lovett; *Second row:* Pitman, Collier, D. Hollis, Stewart, Burris; *Last row:* Irwin, Green, Arrick, Henson, Morgan, Coach Crow.

Above: Carried away with baseball fever David McEachern goes wild.
Left: Donny Arrick becomes disgusted because he struck out.

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BUCKEYE FEVER

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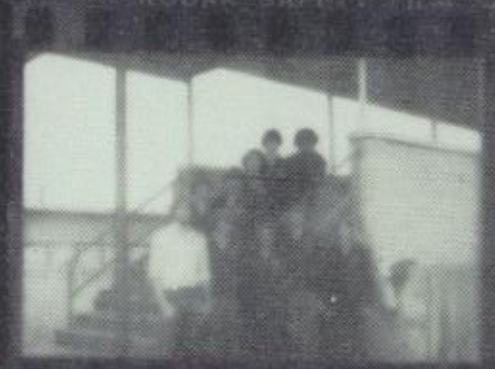


ORGANIZATIONS

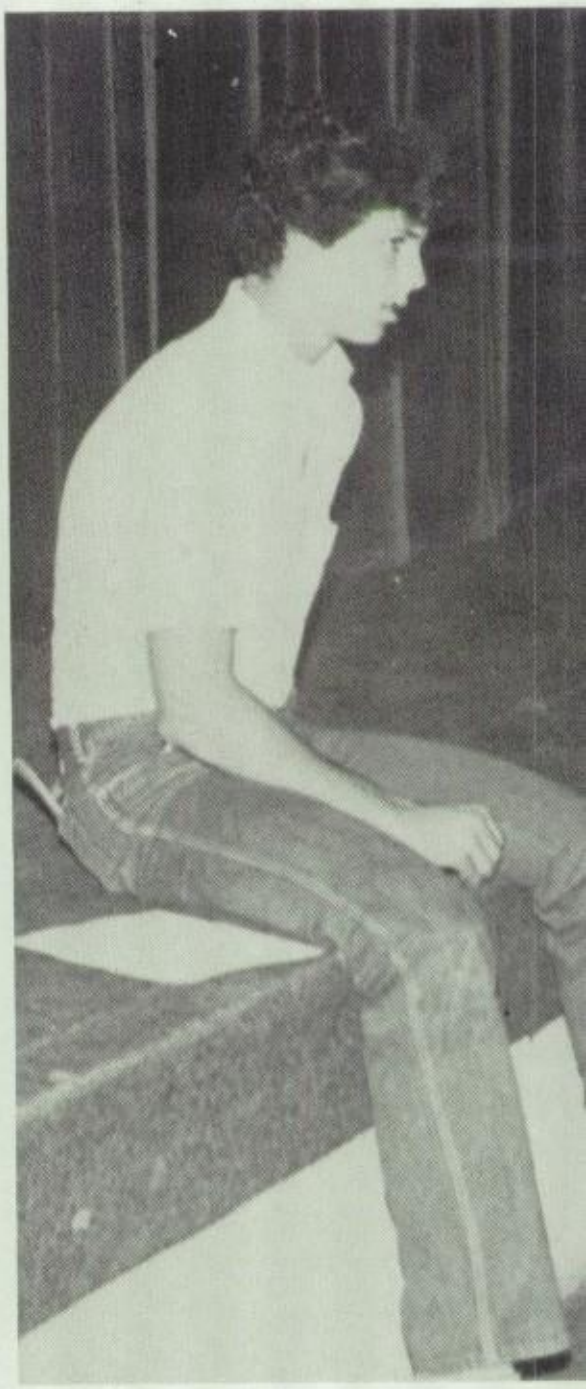
Student Council: A Government For The Students

From beginning to end, the year buzzed with activities with the Student Council playing an important role. Individuals were elected from each class to represent the student body. They were chosen for their leadership and service. These students served as examples for classmates to follow and had a standing goal to better our school as well as our place in the community. Every member participated in the secret pal project for teachers and elections of the Student Pride award each week. They also sponsored the Homecoming Dance and the Victory Dance after the Lindale game.

OFFICERS: SEATED: Clemons, Smith, Cude. *STANDING:* Breazeale, Cock Patterson.

SEATED: Wayne, Jones, Beal, Gipson, Derrick, Camp. *STANDING:* McKnight, Davidson, Wilson, F. Breazeale, Lewis, Clemons, Cockrill, Cude, K. Blasingame, Smith, D. Blasingame, Graham, J. Breazeale, Lunsford, Glendinning, Patterson, Mathis.

Voting in the weekly meetings proves to be fun (for some).



David Cockrill rules as president the Council.

NHS Leads The Way

The National Honor Society is probably the most prestigious group in school. To become a member, one must have outstanding leadership, finest character, service to the school and scholarship capabilities. The induction ceremony was impressive as some of the members performed a courtroom skit and tried the new members to see if they possessed the needed qualities for membership.

nnine receives her N.H.S. pin from
ra at the induction ceremony.

Officers: Pres., J. Patterson; V.P., J. Bullock; Sec., K. Blasingame; Treas., K. Monk.

n Bullock smiles as he receives his
olarship award.

Front Row: J. Baldwin, D. Wilson, S. Schoon, K. Monk, S. Owens, A. Meadows, R. Cude, T. Johnson, R. Monk; *Second Row:* L. Wallace, L. Martin, K. Blasingame, M. Hodges, R. Waters, D. Cockrill, P. Hagler, P. Robinson, G. Bradshaw, W. Witcher, C. Waggoner, D. Graham; *Back Row:* B. King, D. Gilliam, F. Breazeale, J. Patterson, K. Porter, K. Perkins, J. Bullock, B. Arrington.

Key Club Develops Leaders Of Tommorrow

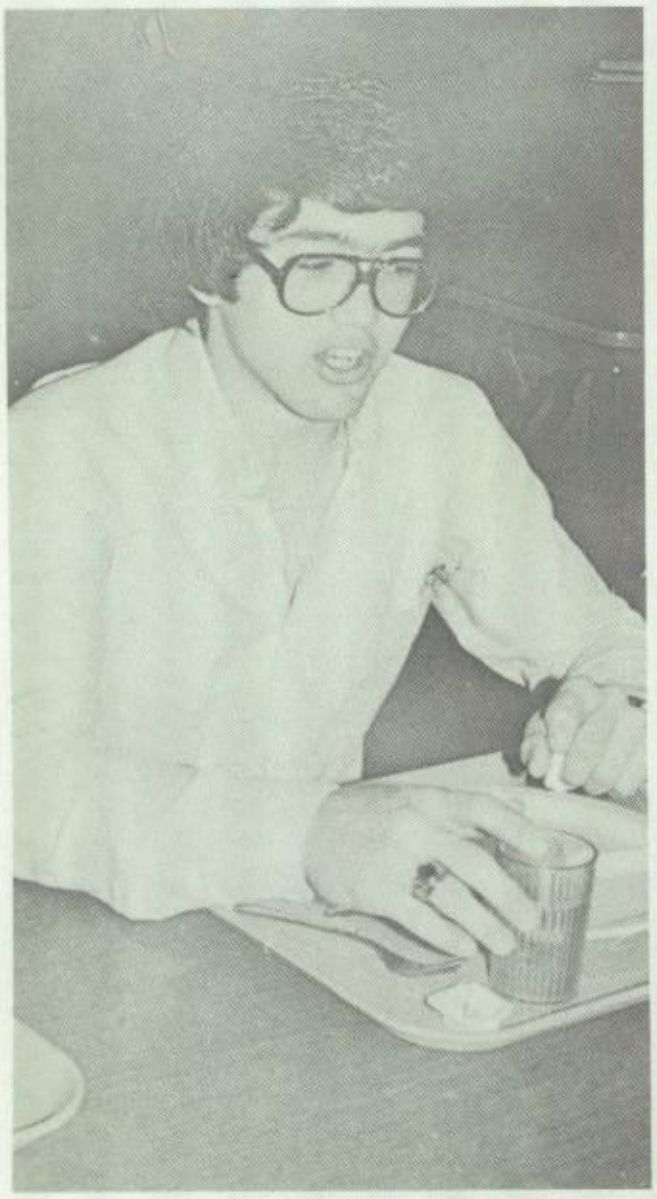
The Key Club is composed of young men dedicated to service, loyalty, and achievement. With these goals in mind, they set off to a busy and productive year.

One of their fundraising activities included selling raffle tickets for a T.V. and radio. The proceeds from this project went towards sponsoring a foster child's Christmas. This group is also in charge of raising and lowering the flag at all home football games.

ABOVE: SEATED: Patterson, White, Wilson. *STANDING:* Patton, Monk, A ander, Warren, Perkins, Arrington, Turner, Gipson, Fenlaw, Klotz, Breazeale.

BELOW: OFFICERS: Pres. — Patterson, Sec. — Breazeale, Rep. — Wil Treas. — Turner. *NOT PICTURED:* V.P. — Davis.

Kelly Blasingame is chosen Key Club Sweetheart.



ABOVE: After the morning meeting, Jim starts his day off with a nutritious breakfast.

Keywanettes Hold the Key to the Future

The door had opened and activities had been kicked off with the induction of promising pledges. A busier and more productive year was the goal to be achieved. The girls courageously worked through damp and cold in the Yamboree dunking booth to finance their projects for the coming year. Everyone agreed all the discomforts they suffered during the fund-raiser were worth it when they had seen the delight of the Senior Citizens who presented a Christmas fruit basket. The joy of giving was a fantastic experience shared by all the girls when they adopted a foster child for Christmas and played Santa.

Row: K. Davidson, C. Lundsford, L. Herndon, C. Bayer, M. Webb, F. Derrick, C. Beal; *Second* J. Osborne, K. Parker, D. Pitman, K. Monk, L. Martin, C. Bowers; *Back Row:* Mrs. Patton, Spon-R. Graham, Kristi Blasingame, Kelly Blasingame, K. Pitman.

Patton pins the traditional pledge ns on Kim Long.

Frankie, Bonnie, Celeste, and Michelle prepare fruit baskets for the elderly.

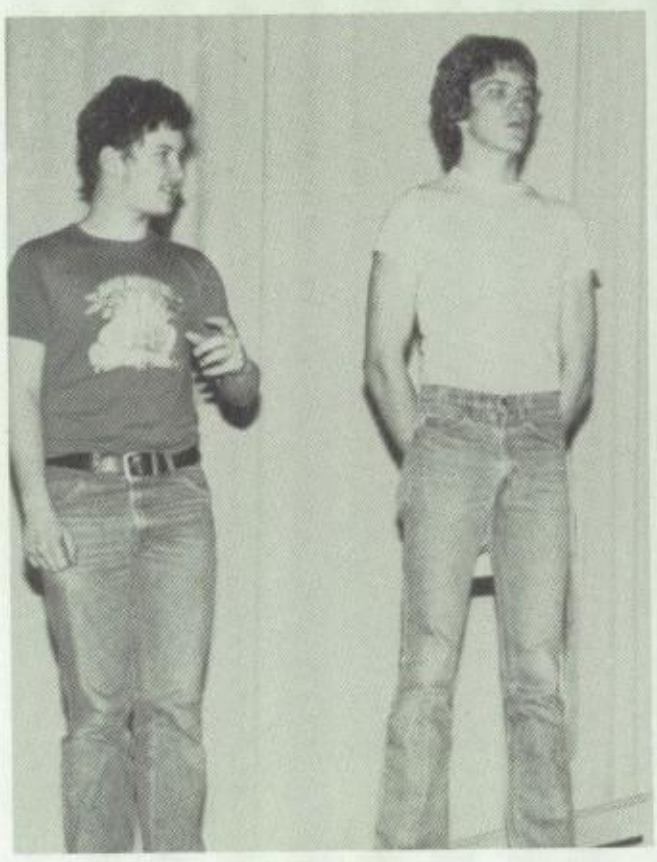
Officers: K. Monk, V. Pres., K. Blasingame, Pres., M. Fennell, Treas., C. Phillips, Sec.

Speaking Together — Acting As On

The Speech and Drama Club was active in the community by performing for the Bluebonnet Club and Rotary Club. The thespians went to Jr. High to do story telling, prose, and poetry readings for the study skills class. In March Mrs. Neely took the UIL one act play, "The Other Side of The Wall," to zone contest at Lindale.

First row; Martin, Lawler, Clemens, John, F. Derrick, Tunner, C. Smith, Verner, Youman, J Breazeale, *Second row;* Stone, Blasingame, Wren, Bayer, Gibson, A. Smith, S. Jones, Waters, J. rick, Duffey, Mask, Arrington, Deason, *Third row;* Foreman, Stevens, Sims, Dickerson, Shelton, Du Coleman, Lambert, Henry, Ford, Mock, Berry, Wallace, *Top row;* Lenhart, Bryant, Perkins, Fe Jackson, Tutt, Cavitt, O'Conner, Brown, Hall, Bowers, White, Whitworth, Brooks, Tate, Wisdom.

Above: John, Kris, Matt, Chris, Allen, and Ricky do their interpretation of the Cheerleaders. *Right:* Steve wonders how Jason can be such a good little soldier. *Above right:* Reading their scripts, Kin and Amy look forward to being in the UIL play "The Other Side of The Wall."

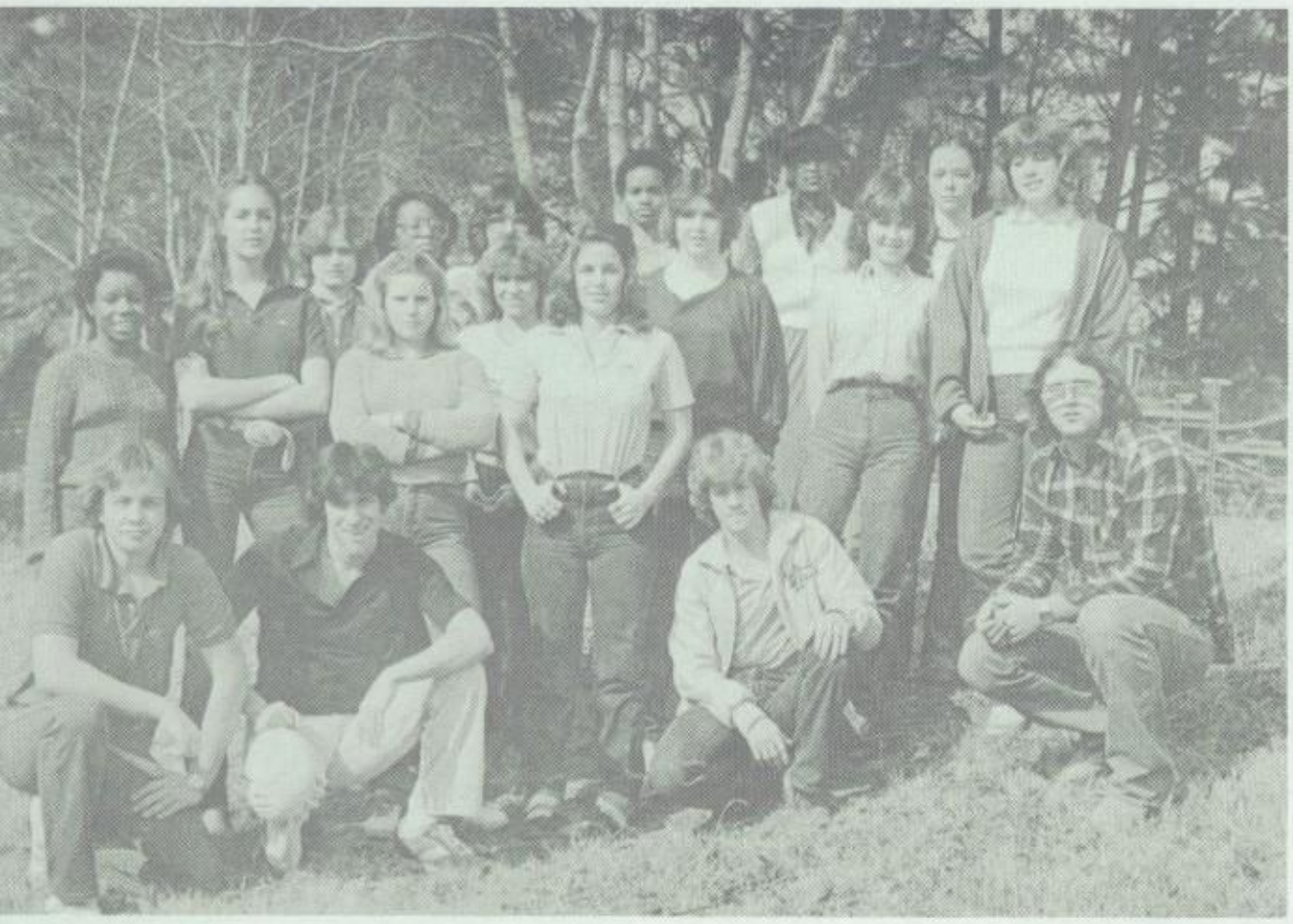


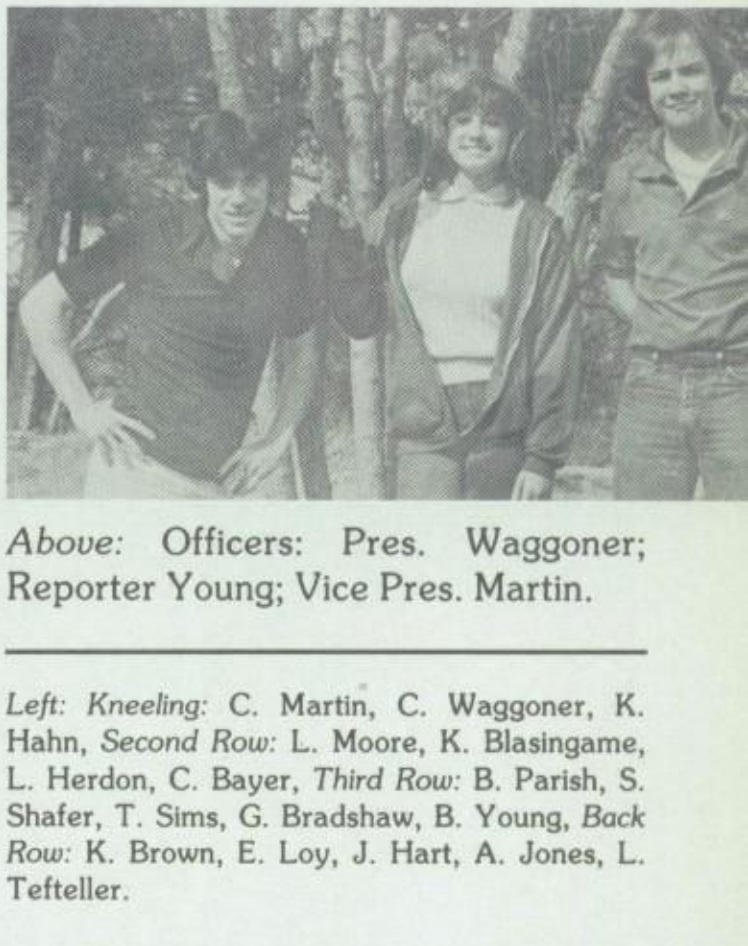
Officers: Top to Bottom: Ried Hall, P Danna Blasingame, Pres.; Verc Bryant, Rep.; Lori Lenhart, Sec.; Te Sims, Treas.; Morris Brown, V.P.; Neely, Adv.

uck gets caught in the act making his vorite girl a Christmas stocking.

Getting To Know The Arts

The Fine Arts Club was very active and full of spirit. To show enthusiasm for the Buckeyes the club constructed a "Mr. Spirit," who appeared at the homecoming pep rally and various football games. The class participated in experiments to learn the techniques of pen and ink drawings and mosaic pictures. Throughout the year the club did book reviews and collected newspaper articles on the different types of art. Their two major fund raising projects for the year were selling of decorated Christmas stockings and a bake sale. These projects financed the field trip to Dallas to visit museums. The club did a study of Greek and Roman mythology.





Above: Officers: Pres. Waggoner; Reporter Young; Vice Pres. Martin.

Left: Kneeling: C. Martin, C. Waggoner, K. Hahn, *Second Row:* L. Moore, K. Blasingame, L. Herdon, C. Bayer, *Third Row:* B. Parish, S. Shafer, T. Sims, G. Bradshaw, B. Young, *Back Row:* K. Brown, E. Loy, J. Hart, A. Jones, L. Tefteller.

Above: Kent is amazed at the fact that Gayle made a sale to Lisa.
Left: The cheerleaders introduce "Mr. Spirit" at homecoming pep rally prior to the Jefferson game.

Library Club Makes "Reading Fun"

That was the Library Club's slogan for this year. Their goal was to get the entire student body reading; not just required reading but exciting, action filled books. In the campaign they sponsored a "Library Week" and reading related contests.

This was the first year for a Library Club, but with all the enthusiasm of the club it will not be the last.

Front row: Bryant, Lewis, Owens, *Second row:* Press, Graham, Wilson, C Finch, Smith, King, Verner, Primous, *Back row:* Wallace, MacPherson, Kardat Hollis, Johnson.

Officers: Vice Pres. Bryant; Parl. Graham; Sec. King; Treas. Kardatzke; Hist. Finch; Pres. Hollis; Reporter, Lewis

Left: Adviser, Mrs. Hill

Adviser, Mrs. Rayson

¡DéJAME salir de aqui!

Row: Mrs. Patton, Steelman, McKnight, Klotz, Brown; *Second Row:* Timmons, Lewis, Kardat- J. Breazeale, Ochoa; *Back Row:* F. Breazeale, Schoon, Loy, Smith.

Freddie Ochoa is busily brushing up on his Spanish.

The Spanish Club sold spirit pennants to help Buckeye fans back their state-finalist team and to raise money for their annual trip.

On February 10 we went to Dallas, sharing a bus with Fine Arts to save on gas money. We saw the Spanish painting in Meadows Art Museum of Fine Arts and ate in a Mexican restaurant.

Spanish Club consists of students in the second year of Spanish.

Above: Pres., F. Breazeale; Vice Pres., S. Steelman; Sec.-Treas., S. Schoon; Mascot, K. Lewis.
Left: Morris, Brad, Dennis, and Michael sold their souls selling pennants to help support the victorious Buckeyes.

Buckeye Band Marches On

On August 10, band members met together for the first time. Little did they know that this would be the longest marching season in the history of G.H.S. Arriving at Waco by chartered buses, this band was the first Buckeye Band to ever perform at a state finals game.

After football season, many band members participated in various individual contests such as District, Region, Four States, and U.I.L. Solo and Ensemble. The Band also participated in U.I.L. Concert and Sight Reading Contest in White Oak.

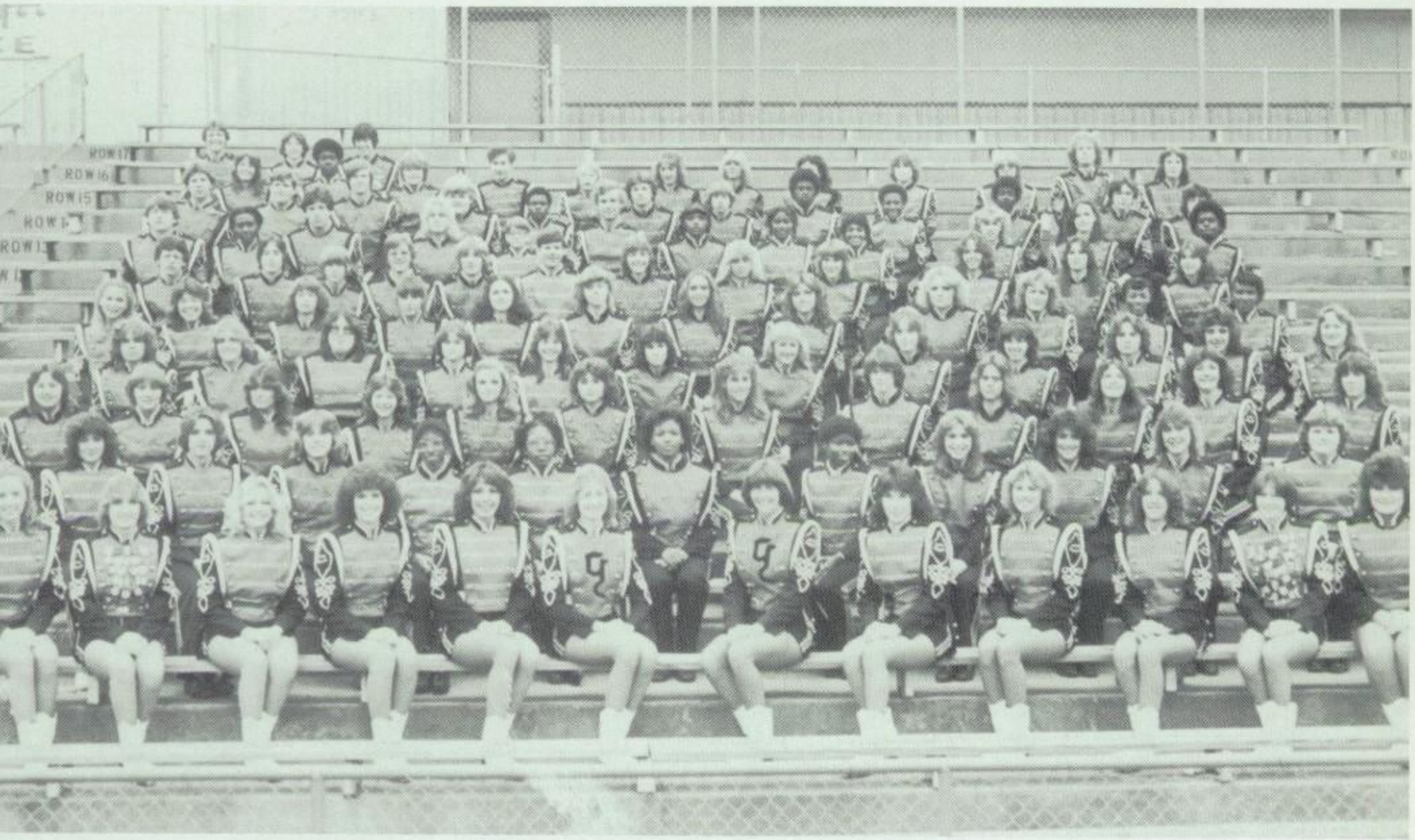
Officers: Jr. Rep. Bradshaw; Head Maj. Cude; Soph. Rep. Derrick; *Back Row:* Sweetheart E ingame; Drum Major Trotter; Pres. McDonald; Sr. Rep. Fennell.

Director — Jimmy Clifton

Debbie loves a parade.

Randy plays a solo of the "Star Spangled Banner" at Homecoming.

Majorettes: Front Row: Becky Mayfield, Cyndi Phillips, Teresa Mask, Regina Cude; *Back Row:* Karen Pitman, Alt. Bonnie Coleman, Michele Laney, *Drum Majors:* Elaine Trotter, Sam Moo Maj. Laura Martin, Michelle Fennell, Adra Meadows.

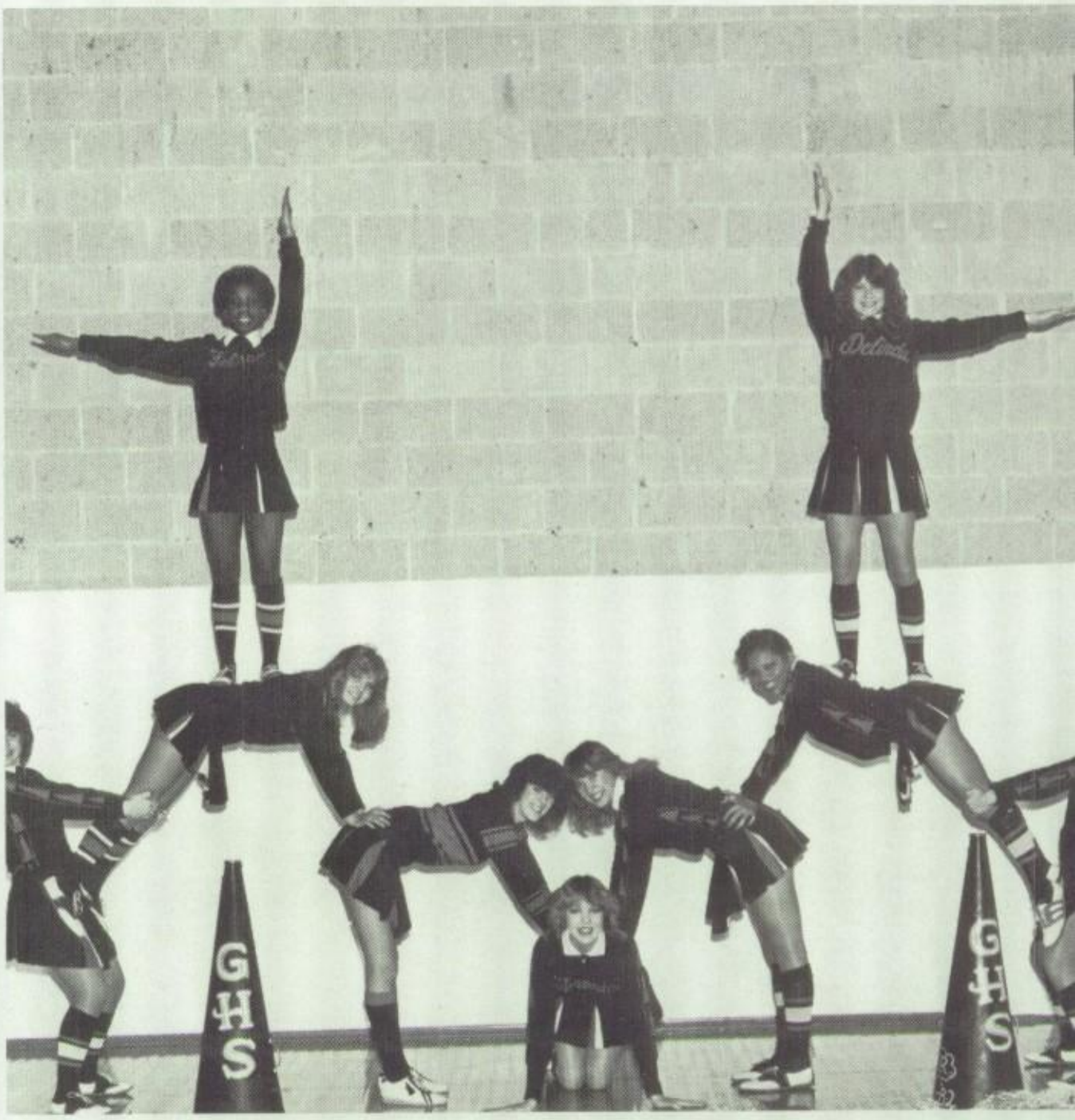


Band keeps spirit up at pep rallies.

A special G for a special occasion.

Gimme a "B" . . .

One of the most popular chants ringing through the halls at G.H.S. was led by the ladies who took pride in spreading spirit and enthusiasm that led the Mighty Buckeyes on an exciting trip to state. It began during the summer when the squad attended S.F.A. Cheerleader camp winning various awards and learning helpful techniques and stunts to make them an inspiration for a great team. To raise money, they sold ads for the football program, held a carwash, sold key rings, and sold little pom pom dolls, all successful projects. This year the cheerleaders received many compliments on their enthusiasm and leadership. They dismount from the pyramid this year asking, "We've got spirit, showed it, too, 'Now we're asking,' how about you?"

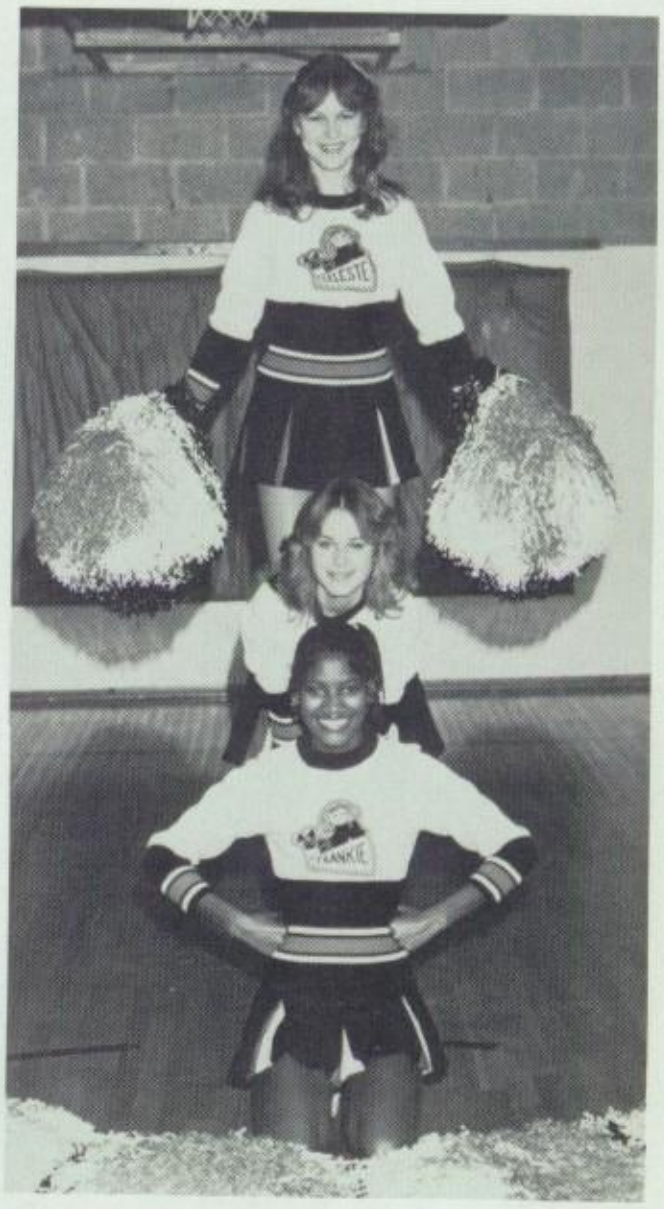


Top Left to Right: F. Owens, Jr.; P. Henson, Jr.; B. Smith, Sr. (head); K. Stevens, Sr.; M. Hodg
Mascot Sr.; S. Simmons, Sr.; D. Blasingame, Sr.; V. Bryant, Jr.

Far Right: Being Cheerleaders, balance comes natural to Kim and Paulette.
Right: Cheerleaders plan strategy for another victory.
Below Right: Flea, Delinda, and Paulette are going to the top with the Buckeyes.

K. Parker, (head), L. Davidson, C. Davidson, and J. Baugh.

Below: Top to Bottom, C. Bowers, L. Wolfe, (head), and F. Derrick.



Left: "That's right, we turn our backs on anybody without spirit!"

Left: Cheerleaders reach the top through spirit and technique!

Above: Cheerleaders this year kept climbing right up the ladder to spirit.

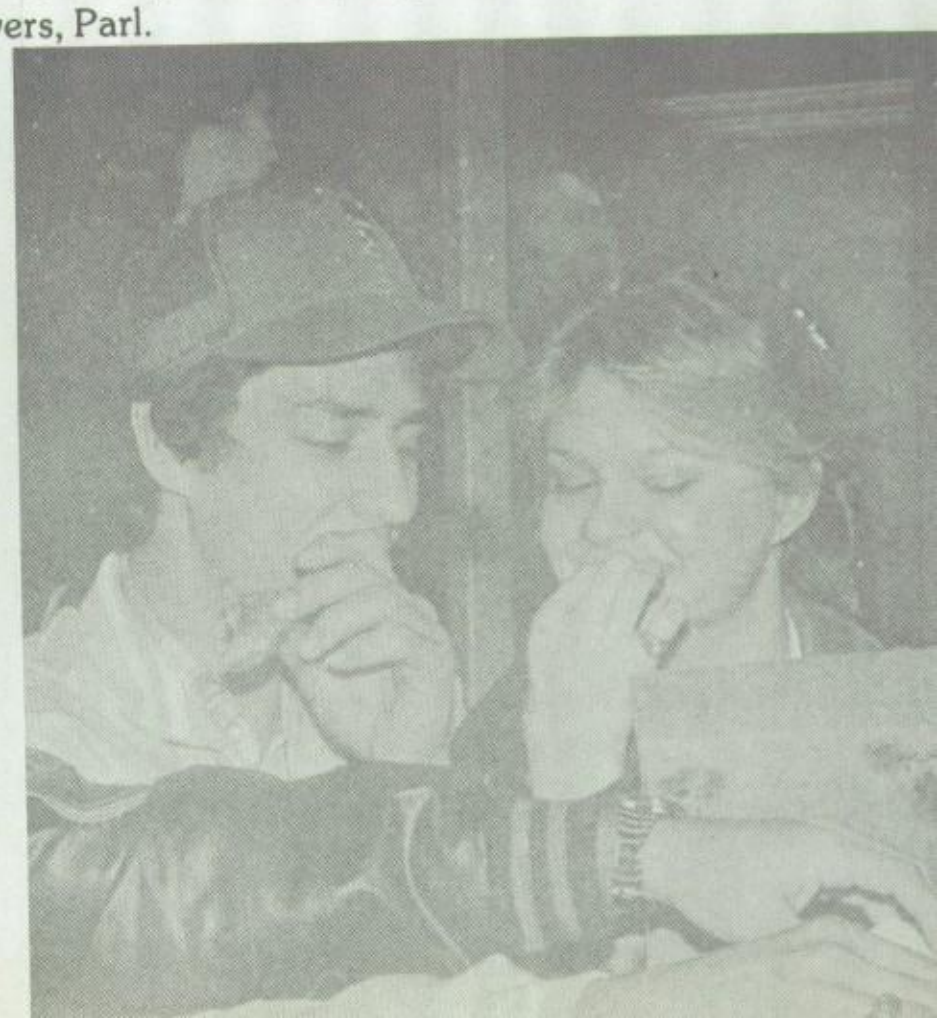
A Small Number X Patience = Math Club

As the year began members made the brilliant deduction that they were going to have to put two and two together to reach their goal of success. Speed, accuracy, and nerves of steel developed as members of the club met challenge after challenge in stiff competition at various contests, members under the guidance of Mrs. Stewart, entered the vast world of computers. Small numbers added up to a successful year!

Members: E. Davis, G. Gipson, W. Flowers, K. Perkins, K. Blasingame, M. Stewa
sponsor, J. Patterson, J. Smith, K. Monk.

Officers: J. Patterson, V. Pres., E. Davis, Rep., K. Monk, Sec.-Treas., K. E
ingame, Pres., W. Flowers, Parl.

Above: Gary, Jim, and Wallace practice before the meet begins.
Right: Wallace and Kelly calculate the square root of the stolen doughnuts.



FTA: Today Depends On Tomorrow

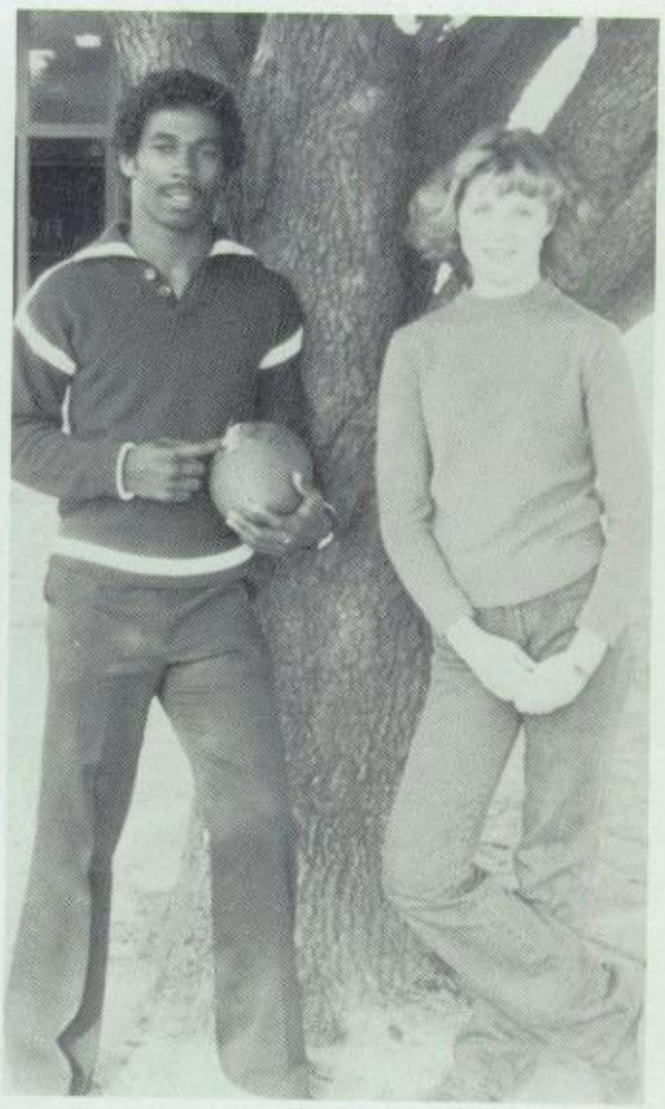
ont row: Wayne, Owens, Mask, Gipson, Monk; *Second row:* Derrick, Verner, ebb, Steelman, Coleman, Wallace; *Third row:* Beasley, King, Turner, Henry, wers, Dufour; *Last row:* Primous, Graham, Smith, Lawler, Johns, Henson, yant.

That was the state theme for this year and the Leonard Pickett chapter displayed that by getting involved around school, city and state. Some attended the District Convention while others went to the State Convention. The entire chapter worked on the scrapbook which is kept by Mrs. Stephenson. There were carnation sales and members substituted for teachers at Elementary and Jr. High.

FTA Sweetheart and Beau Lisa Bryant and Russell Waters

e Pres. Brown; *Sec.* King; *Reporter* ner *Sponsor:* Mrs. Stephenson; . Wallace; *Pres.* Monk.

Teresa dreams of the day when she will be a teacher.

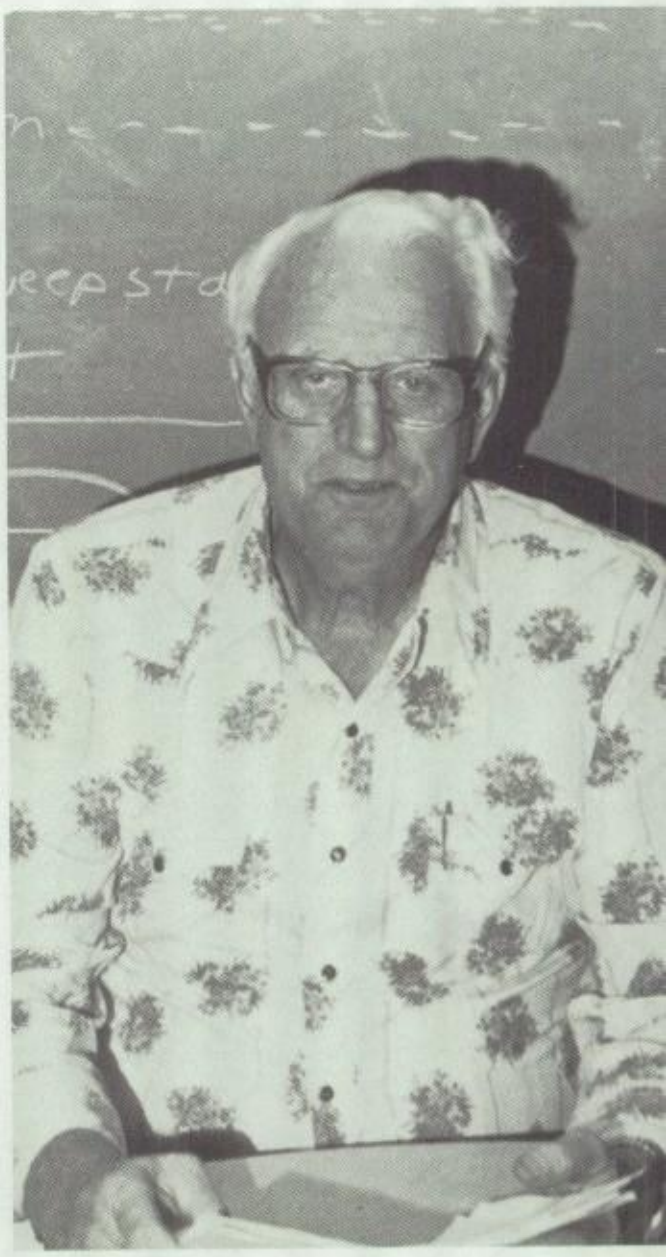


Sheri says, "Frankie, FTA is no laughing matter."

Farmers Look Forward To The Prosperous Future

The Future Farmers learned different farming techniques to provide for a better way of life in Agriculture. They learned through their own projects such as raising horses, cattle, sheep, rabbits, and various other farm animals.

They participated in area contests for students to exhibit their work of raising their animals. They also judged many different events such as land judging, poultry judging, dairy judging, livestock judging, and crops judging. They often won Sweepstakes in contests.

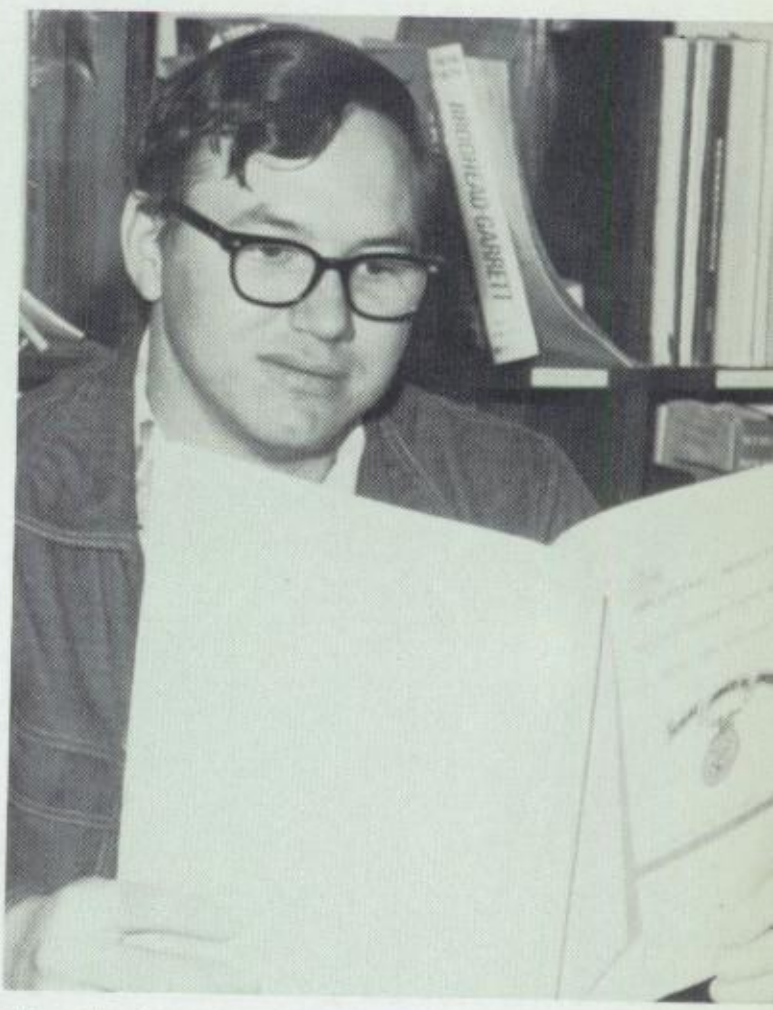


Mr. Bishop was named Honora American Farmer of the year.

Chapter Farmers:
Right: First Row: Petty, Hollis, Green, Powers, K. Smith; *Second Row:* Nutt, Cockrill, Hagler, J. Smith, Graham; *Last Row:* Nelson, Denton, Prater, Jones.
Chapter Farmer Officers:
Below Right: First Row: Bonds, Sen.; Daniels, Adv.; Green, Pres.; Cockrill, Treas.; *Back Row:* K. Smith, Rep.; J. Smith, Sec.; Hagler, V.P.

Greenhands:
Left: First Row: C. Mayhan, D. Mayhan, Reed, Nelson, Pendleton, Thomson, Johnson; *Second Row:* Taylor, Brem, Wyatt, Cargie, Bayer, Green, Grant, Hill; *Third Row:* Lovett, Blalack, Newman, Beisch, Wright, Fenlaw, Youngblood; *Fourth Row:* Warren, Lyles, Knox, Collier, Patton, Culberson; *Fifth Row:* Fenlaw, Bellamy, Patterson, Fennell, Dacus, Bishop, McPhearson, Bonds, Irwin; *Last Row:* Smith, Chambers, Mooney, Tomlin, English, Glendinning, Hall, Melton, White.

enhand Officers:
ve: First Row: Glendinning, Treas.; Wyatt, Adv.; Bonds, Rep.; *Back Row:* nlin, V.P.; Green, Sen.; Dacus, Pres.; Irwin, Sec.
p: Below: First Row: Loy, Holt, Moore, Howze; *Back Row:* Brown, Witcher, an, Morgan, Smith.



Mr. York came back to teach for Mr. Bishop while he was in the hospital.

Future Homemakers of America

The Future Homemakers of America enjoyed an eventful year. The organization was divided into three chapters sponsored by Homemaking teachers Mrs. Hasley, Mrs. Hiner, and Mrs. Beal. Their activities included fund raising for the March of Dimes, providing cheer baskets to the nursing home at Thanksgiving, presenting gifts to the teachers at Christmas, and selling candy to raise money for a May trip to Crystal Springs Beach.

Mrs. Hasley's Chapter: First row: Taylor, LaVesha Davidson, Lundsford, Moore, Buirl, S. Harris; *row:* Smith, Lorie Davidson, Davis, Lewis, M. Jones, R. Doddy; *Third row:* Baugh, J. Venters, Tan R. Venters, T. Doddy, Newsome, Pickering; *Back row:* Bennett, Booker, V. Venters, A. Jones, Dar D. Harris.

Officers: Left to Right: Mrs. Hasley, Sponsor; Doddy, Comm. Chr.; LaVesha Davidson, Pres.; Venters, Comm. Chr.; Lewis, Vice Pres.; Baugh, Rep.; Lundsford, Sec.; Moore, Parl.; Lorie Davidson, Comm. Chr.; Davis, Comm. Chr.; Booker, Treas.; Taylor, Class Rep.

Vickie gets a little help from Mrs. Hiner.

Leah and Rhonda plan the agenda for the mor

Perry Harper demonstrates the art of microwave cooking.

Toward New Horizons

. *Hiner's Chapter: First row:* Hooper, Palmer, Johnson, Scott, Brooks, Fluellen, Beal, Wilson, Julie ron, Turner; *Sec. row:* Dunbar, Elder, Robinson, Scoggins, Rydell, Fielden, C. Davis, R. Graham, Pit- n, E. Jones; *Third row:* Russell, Rosalind Jones, C. Finch, Crawford, Janie Catron, D. Davis, Denkins, wn, Easley, J. Jones; *Back row:* Borens, Primous, Skinner, Granville, S. Finch, Carter, Martin, G. es, L. Graham, Rosalyn Jones, Buchannon, Duffy.

Officers: Standing left to right: Palmer, Rep.; Rosalyn Jones, R. Sec.; Beal, Comm. Chr.; L. Graham, Pres.; *On steps:* Webb, 2-Vice Pres.; S. Finch, 1-Vice Pres.; R. Graham, Comm. Chr.; Martin, Hist.; Rosalind Jones, Comm. Chr.; Primous, Comm. Chr.; Granville, Parl.; Mrs. Hiner, Sponsor.

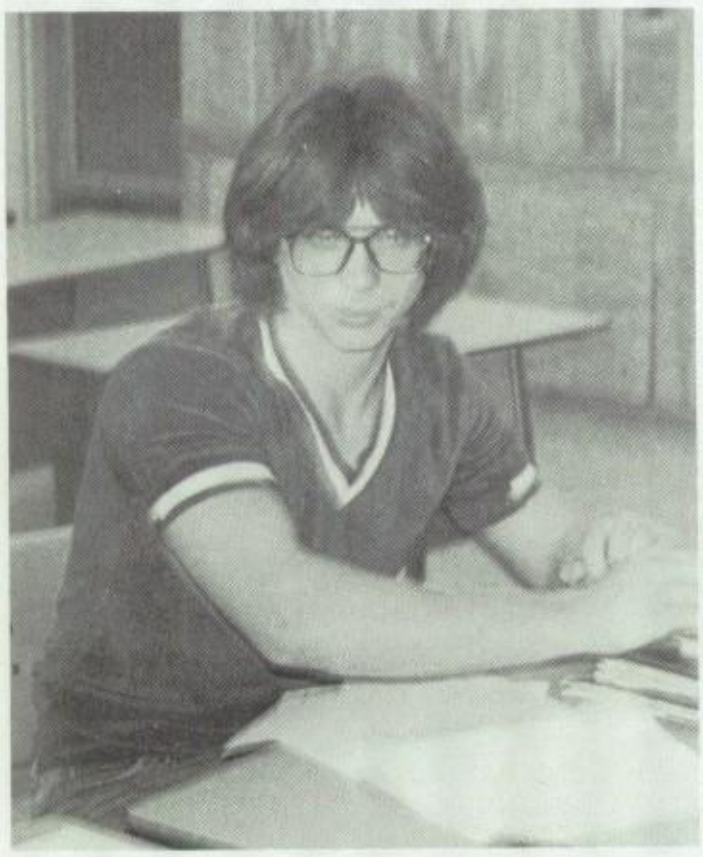
icers: left to right: Mrs. Beal, Sponsor; ason, Pres.; D. Johnson, Comm. Chr.; den, Treas.; Medlin, Comm. Chr.; ry, 2 Vice Pres.; Moore, R. Sec.; away, Comm. Chr.; Doddy, Corres. .; King, Hist.

Mrs. Beal's Chapter: First row: Caraway, V. Moore, D. Johnson, Baker, Davis, Murphy; *Sec. row:* Redditt, D. Moore, Medlin, Bradford, Cates, Golden, Palmer, Deason; *Third row:* Doddy, Jones, Hall, Parnell, Grant, Cain; *Back row:* LaRue, Williams, Berry, Tennison, Beasley, King, K. Johnson.

DECA Develops Tomorrow's Leaders

Front Row: S. Lee, S. Owens, T. Thomason, P. Jenkins, N. Davidson, N. Mauk, T. Johnson Wade, R. Waters; *Second Row:* K. Pitman, K. Sisson, S. Berry, L. Williams, R. Burris, B. Turner Hooper, T. Smith, R. Davis, E. Williams; *Third Row:* D. Graham, D. Arrick, M. Sustaire, S. Hal Pitman, S. Nelson, G. Leach, T. Spencer, K. Hahn, M. Fluellen; *Back Row:* L. Davis, D. Medlin Settles, K. O'Neal, P. Robinson, J. Simpson, D. Wiler, R. Yazell, T. Stevens, J. Venters.

Distributive Education is a vocational training program in retailing, wholesaling and the service-selling occupations. The D.E. students were involved in a creative marketing project on shopping in Gilmer stores. Their officer induction ceremony was held at Johnny Case's in Longview. D.E. students worked diligently to develop the skills needed for tomorrow's business leaders.



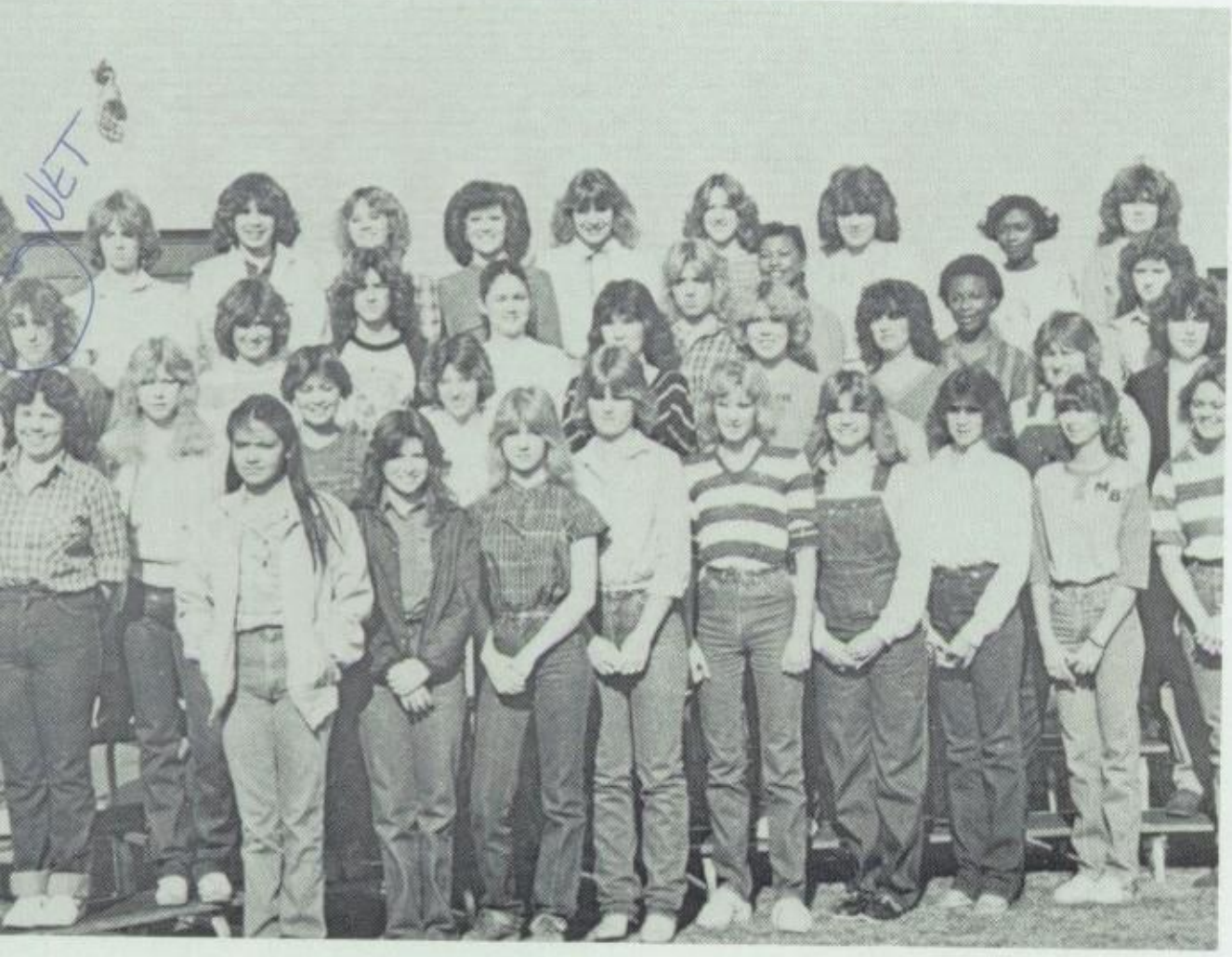
Tim says, "Safeway! Everything you want from a store and a little bit more."

Above, Top to Bottom: Officers: Pres., T. Pitman; V.P., R. Burris; Sec., D. Graham; Treas Thomason; Rept., M. Sustaire; Parl., D. Arrick; R. Yazell, B. Turner.

Below: Nikki, Stacy, and Kelly take their turn at decorating the display windo

VOE Trains Tomorrow's Secretaries

V.O.E., or Vocational Office Education students worked very hard all year. These students were required to work in an office or any place where they could develop their secretarial skills. They were honored at a banquet on March 16. A St. Patrick's theme was used. Dr. Stewart McLaurin, President of Kilgore College, was the guest speaker.



t Row: Loy, Baldwin, Landon, McDuff, Gunn, Henson, Camp, Wilson, Richardson; *Second Row:* m, Towery, L. Davis, M. Smith, Laney, Bryant, Stokes, S. Davis, Berry; *Third Row:* Witcher, B. ner, Holmes, Henry, Dellinger, Moore, M. Skinner, Carpenter; *Back Row:* Wade, P. Jackson, elle Fennell, Meadows, Martin, Simmons, Phillips, Melissa Fennell, Turner, S. Jackson.

rs: Top to Bottom: L. Henry, Reporter; B. Skinner, V. Pres.; S. rdson, Treas.; D. Gilliam, Hist.; A. Meadows, Soc. Chairman; V. , Sponsor; D. Wilson, Lab. Chairman; L. Martin, Sec.; S. Simmons, M. Fennell, Pres.

Lori takes over Time and Temperature.

on Simmons enjoys her work at the First National .

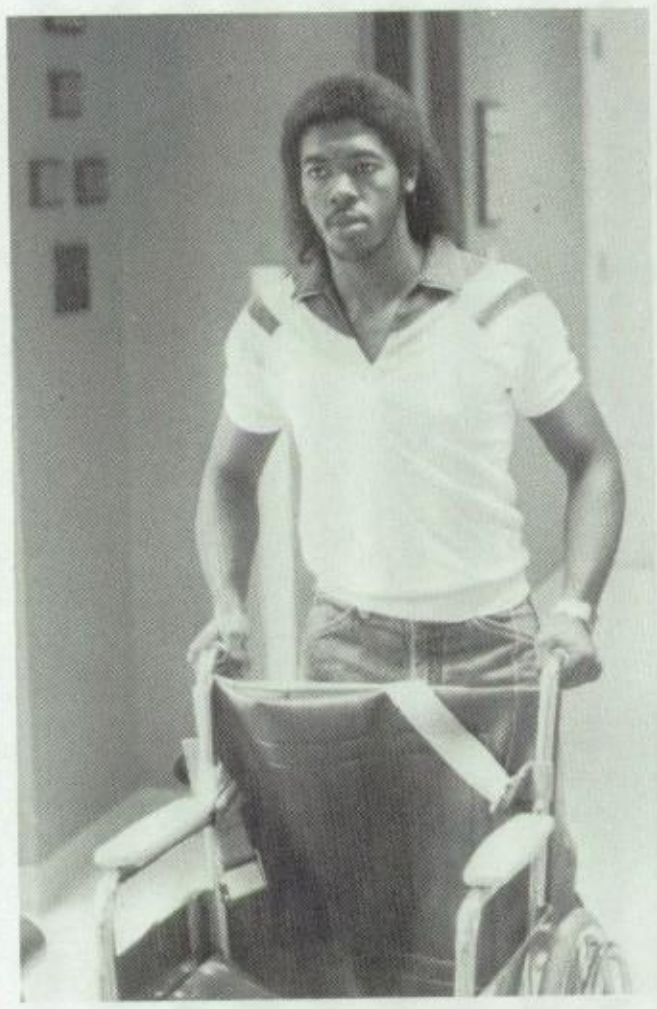
Brenda and Debbie say, "There can't be that many people named Jones!"

HECE Proves To Be A Real HERO

H.E.C.E. had a very rewarding year. They delivered fruit baskets to the Senior Citizens during Thanksgiving and Christmas. April 2 and 3 they went to their Area Convention at Tyler Jr. College. They went to the State Convention April 29 and 30 at the Fort Worth Convention Center. Their HERO week (February 7-13) was noticed on the radio and in the newspaper. G.H.S. is very proud of them!

Above: Front row: Dawson, Vice Pres.; Yates, Pres.; Eshenberge, Sec.; *Second row:* Chandler Community Pro. Chairman; *Third row:* O'Conner, Reporter; *Fourth row:* Mayfield, Community Pro. Chairman; *Fifth row:* Reece, Community Pro. Chairman; *Back row:* Williams, Sponsor

Front Row: Palmer, Yates, Eshenberge, Dawson, Dailey, Young; *Second Row:* Granville, Mor Wayne, Lewis, Phillips, Mayfield, Goodson; *Third Row:* Glenhart, Graham, Chandler, Edwa *Back:* O'Conner, Moore, Davis, Nichols, Wyatt



Above: Willie does his job in an "orderly" manner.
Right: Jeff says, "I'm a leg-man myself."

James thinks, "If I work here enough, I can afford a couch like this."

Row: Kirschke, Carraher, Gregory, Hensen, Hollis, Baker, Lee, Brooks; *Second Row:* Davidson, itt, Taff, Bledsoe, Reynolds, Hall, Jones; *Third Row:* Gibson, Borens, Hayes, Lewis, Smith, llen; *Back Row:* Owens, Williams, Weldon.

VICA'S Teaching Today's Youth

In today's busy job market Vica's there to teach today's youth. Vica prepares students in the various fields of welding, mechanic work, and they even learn to build unique objects. Vica members enter area contests with projects they've built.

o Mechanics Officers: Weldon, Vice Pres.; Wesley, Sec.-Treas.; Mr. ssland, Advisor; Williams, Pres.

rical Trade Officers: Gregory, Sgt.-at-Arms; Kirschke, Parl.; Baker, Rep.; s, Sec.; Owens, Vice Pres.; Hensen, Pres. Not Pictured: Moore, Treas.

Lane Williams is being devoured by a hungry truck.

O.D.P. Develops Office Skills

O.D.P., which stands for Office Duplicating Practices, was a new program offered only to sophomores. It was designed to further these students training in the skills necessary in becoming successful in all fields of office work.

Officers: Top to Bottom: Catron, Pres.; Nash, V. Pres.; Steelman, Secr.; Wo
Treas.; Davidson, Rep.; Hall, Parl.; C. Smith, Student Adv.

Above: Seated: T. Doddy, K. Davidson. Second Row: K. Steelman, K. Hall, J. Catron. Third Row: L. Wolfe, S. Nash, C. Odom, C. Smith.
Right: Janie wishes she had all the money she has to add up.

Cheryl finds Lisa's instructions for printing notepads pu
hilarious.

nt Row: Green, Baldwin, Lyles, Foreman, Powers, White, Towery; *Second Row:* Richardson, Wolfe, om, Landon, Herndon, Blasingame, Nolan, Bonny Young; *Third Row:* Warren, Williams, Crawford, sscock, Dunbar, Fulsom, Fennell, Bledsoe; *Back Row:* Bishop, Knox, Ellis, Hooper, Moore, Morris, l, Billy Young, Davidson; *Standing:* Flowers.

Rodeo Club "Rounds Up" A Great Year

If you were interested in ridin' and ropin', the Upshur County High School Rodeo Club was the place to go for the finest in rodeo action. The sponsors for the year were Mr. and Mrs. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Blasingame.

Lisa and Kristi present the gun to the winner of the raffle.

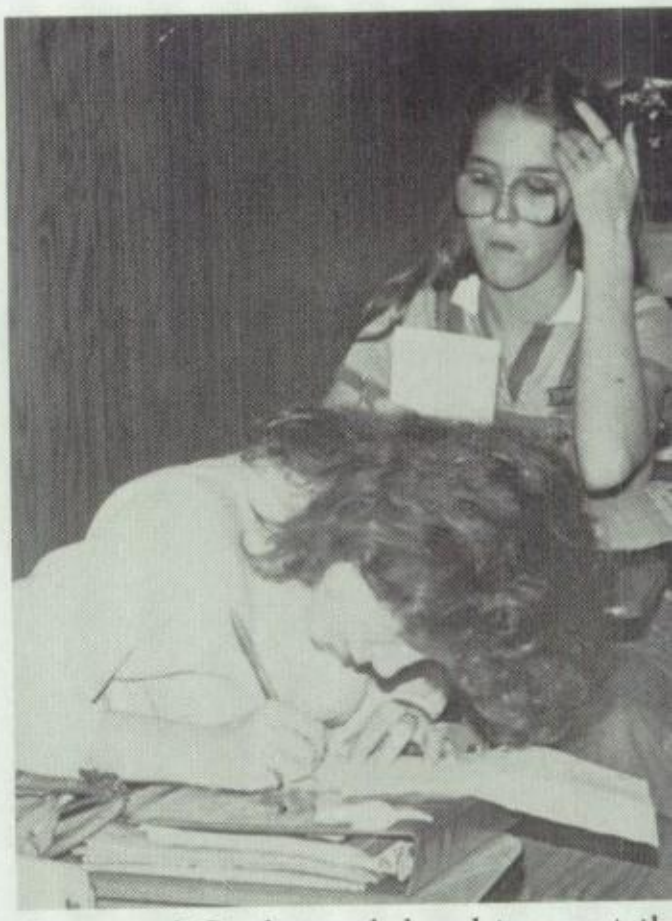
rs: Seated: V.P., Herndon; Queen, Wolfe; Sec., Bonny Young; *ng:* Pres., Billy Young; Treas., Blasingame

Even the sponsors get into the action at Rodeo Club meetings.

The Buckeye Staff: The Way It Was

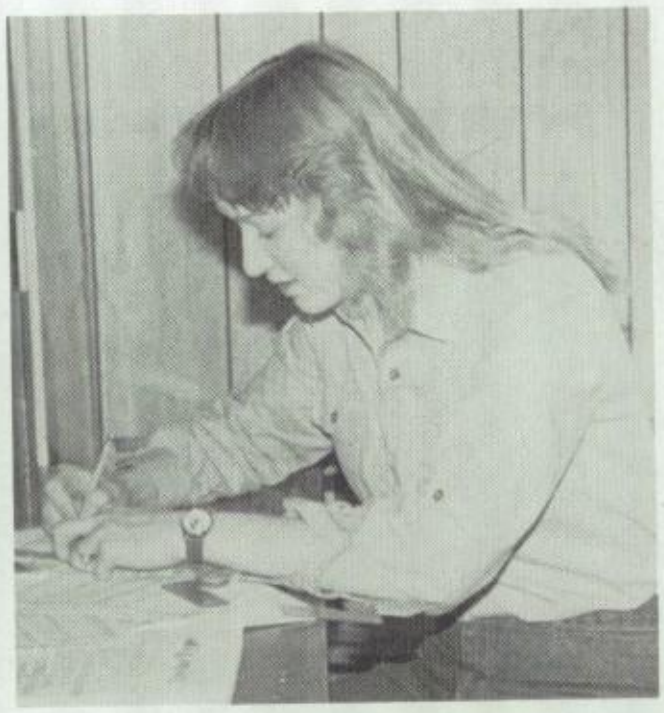
"The Yearbook Staff? Isn't that the class down in Mrs. B's room that sits around during last period and throws a couple of pictures in the book?" Here is how it really was.

Relax, you're about to experience an average day in the life of a staff member. You have five pages and Wednesday is your deadline. You also have twenty-five pictures to stamp and number, twelve photos need captions and you still have to draw your pages onto the final copy. Your DEADline slips upon you faster than a speeding bullet. That means screaming at the photographers who still haven't made your photos and trying to slam doors that won't slam. You find yourself at seven o'clock p.m. trying to figure out why you ever joined the staff. Due to some great act of GOD, somehow you're still alive, dead tired, but yes you made it! Not all of the times were hard; there were good times in class; the party after the first deadline was a blast and released a lot of pressure.



Kristi and Gayla work hard to meet th deadline.

Above: In the skit Marty proclaims, "I can't remember anything because I didn't buy a yearbook," as she portrays a student returning for the 1992 reunion.
Right: The Buckeye Staff won First Place for Advanced Yearbook at the University of Texas at Arlington summer workshop.



Editor: Karen Monk

Business Manager: Elaine Trotter

Pages by Ledonna Wallace

ont Row: Deason, Kristi Blasingame, Smith, White, *Second Row:* Derrick, Steven, Perkins, Herndon, Day, Sims *Third Row:* ng, Gipson, Kelly Blasingame, Hodges, Brown Wallace *Last Row:* Monk, Trotter, Dana Blasingame

Above Right: Mrs. B explains that $13.00 worth of hamburgers will only last one and a half minutes and a yearbook will last a lifetime.
Above: The Staff takes time out for their annual pizza party.
Right: Front Row: McDonald, Herndon, White *Back Row:* Gipson, Perkins. This year's photographers.

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The Buck's Eye Keeps An Eye On The Buck

Writing a newspaper has been very hectic. Preparing articles in order to meet the deadlines sometimes found the Journalism class in a "rush". The Journalism students worked very hard to publish a school newspaper which they found very rewarding and as meaningful as any could possibly be. As the year progressed they did their job by publishing a newspaper which the entire school body enjoyed.

Front row: Derrick, Bradshaw, Bolton, Turner, Skipper; *Second row:* Widom, Cude, Clemons, L. Ma
Waters, Campbell; *Third row:* Morris, Mooney, Young, Bryant, McDuff, Thompson; *Top row:* D
Whitworth, C. Martin, McDonald, Gee, Johnson, Beasley.

Tammy, Veronica, and Bonny contemplate the headlines of tomorrow.

Editors of the Buck's Eye Lynne Martin, S
Mooney, and Ken Wisdom

Wendy always pays attention to instructions.

Les explains to Eric the process of graphing articles.

o this is how the Buck's Eye members spent their time?

Lynne thinks "And it's all because of a wonderful sponsor like this."

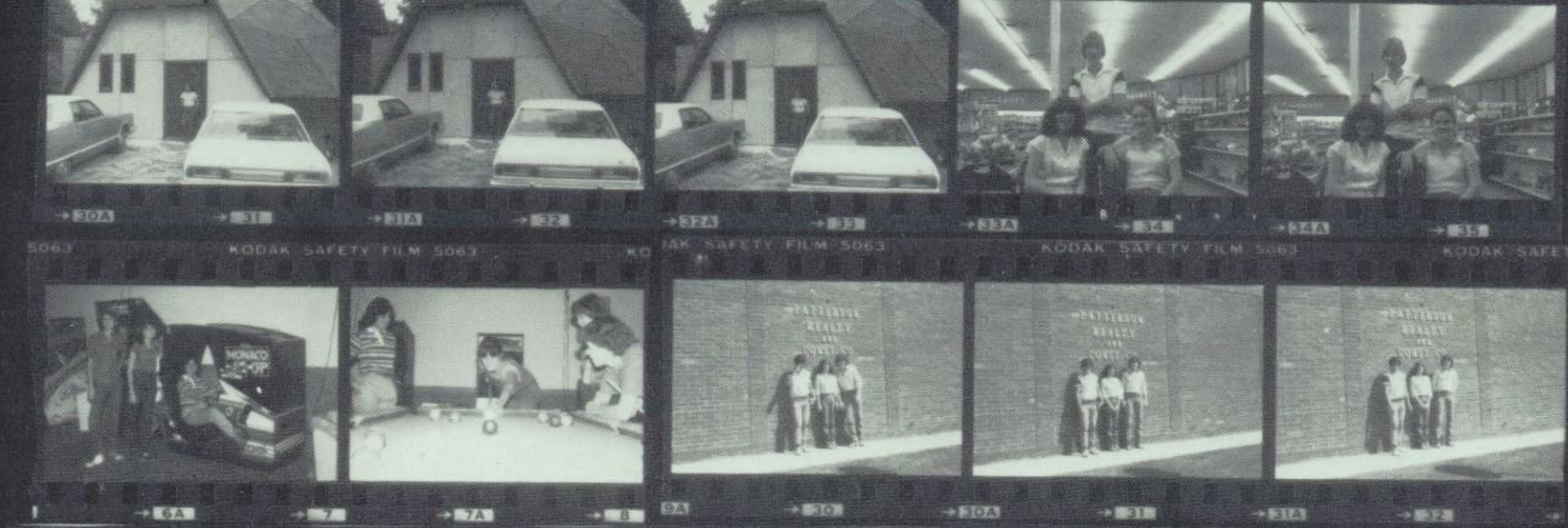
linda's excited over the fact that she got the news first.

And Now Some Advice From The Youth

Preparing a well-balanced meal at Gilmer High School has not always been an easy job. Assisting the lunchroom coordinator, YAC has recommended foods which the G.H.S. student body has enjoyed eating. The council's purpose is to promote school breakfast and lunch with emphasis on their importance for active bodies and alert minds. Their service to the school was to close the bridge between school food service programs, school faculty, administration, students, and community.

Right: Vice Pres. Kelly explains her feelings about eating a well-balanced meal.

Right: Sitting: K. Loftis, S. Simmons, K. Monk; *Standing:* R. Waters, D. Cockrill, R. McKnigh t, B. King, K. Beal, K. Sisson.
Below Right: Barbara takes a brief moment to think about whether or not she really wants chili for her lunch.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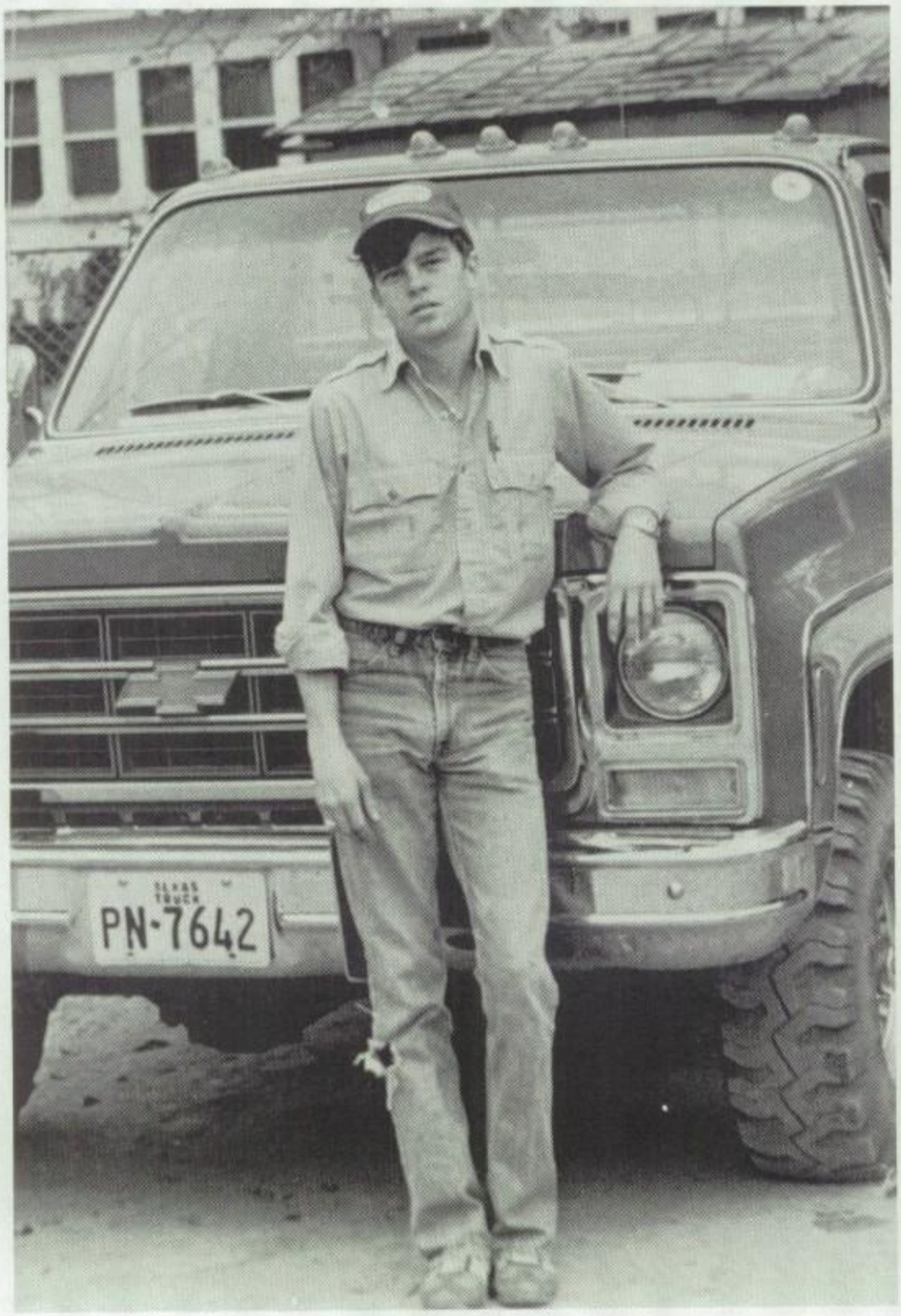

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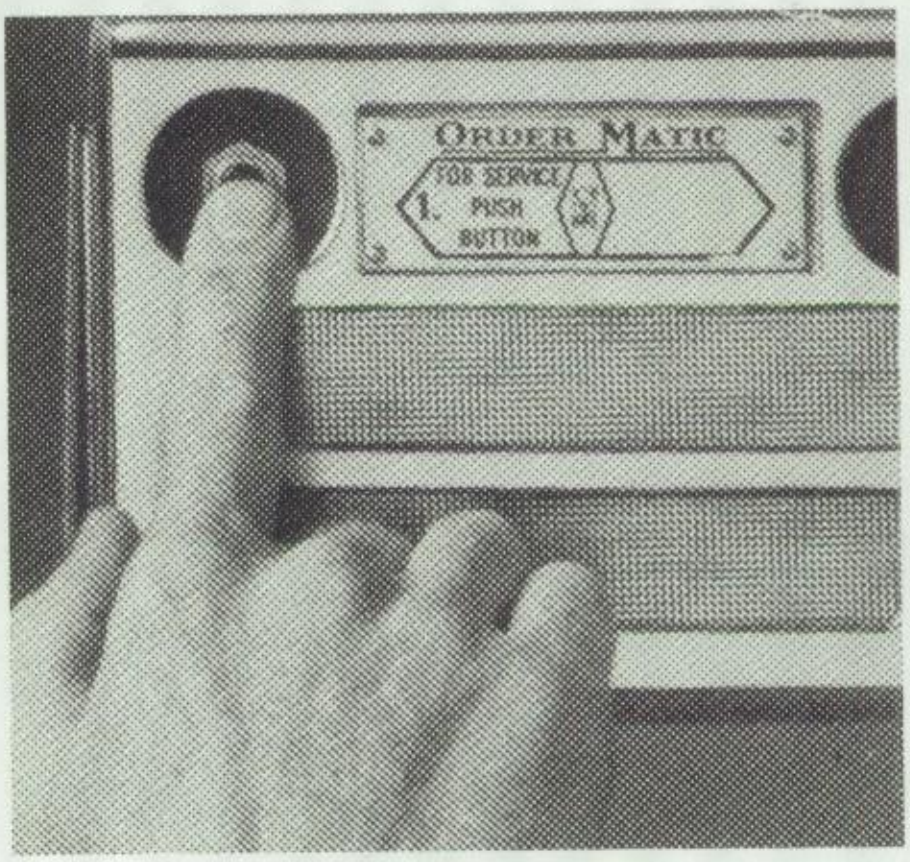

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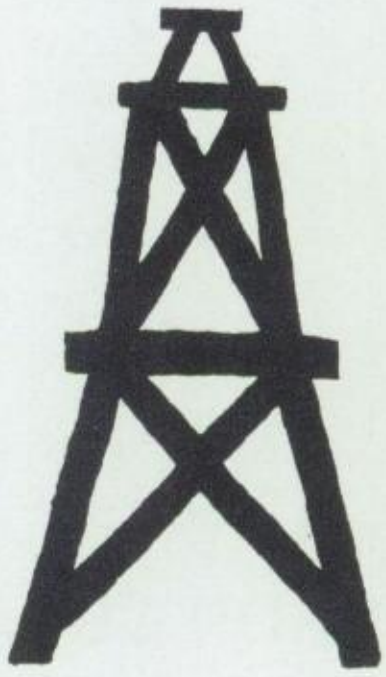

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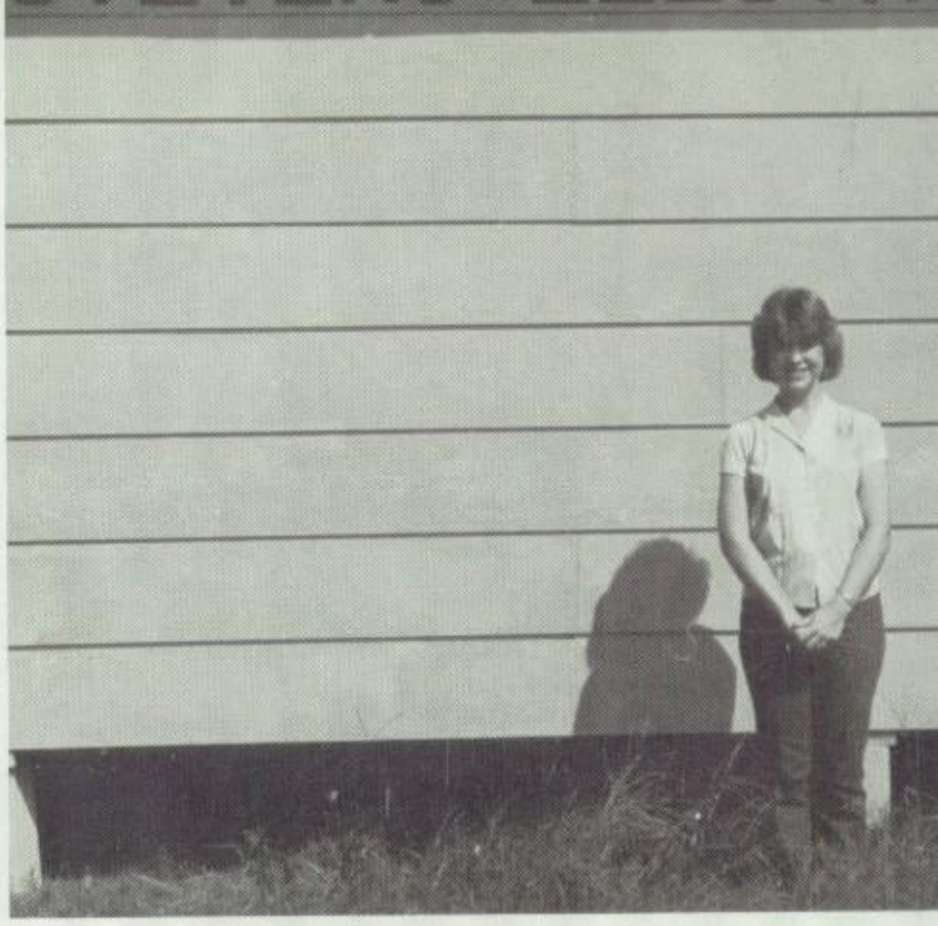

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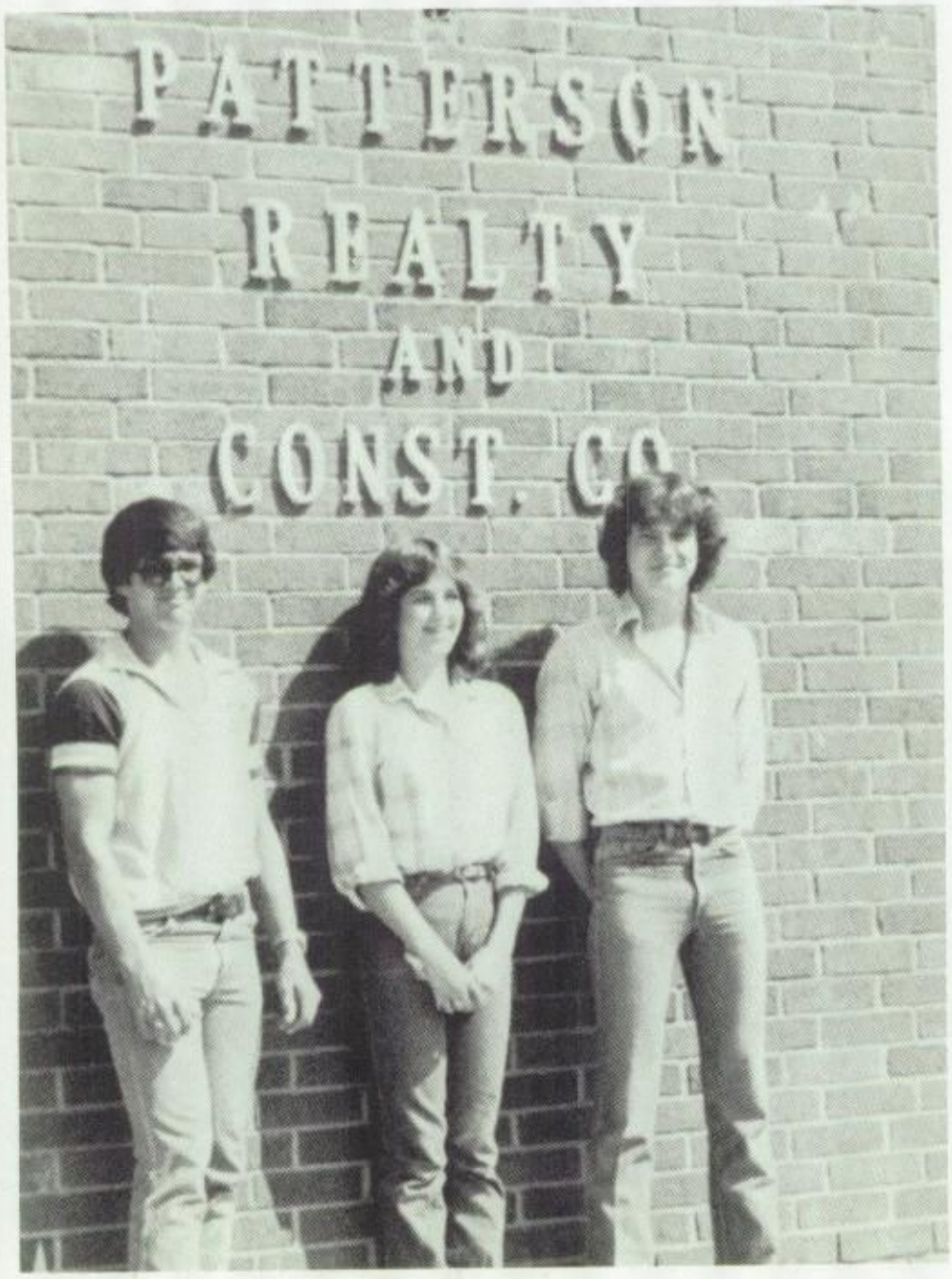

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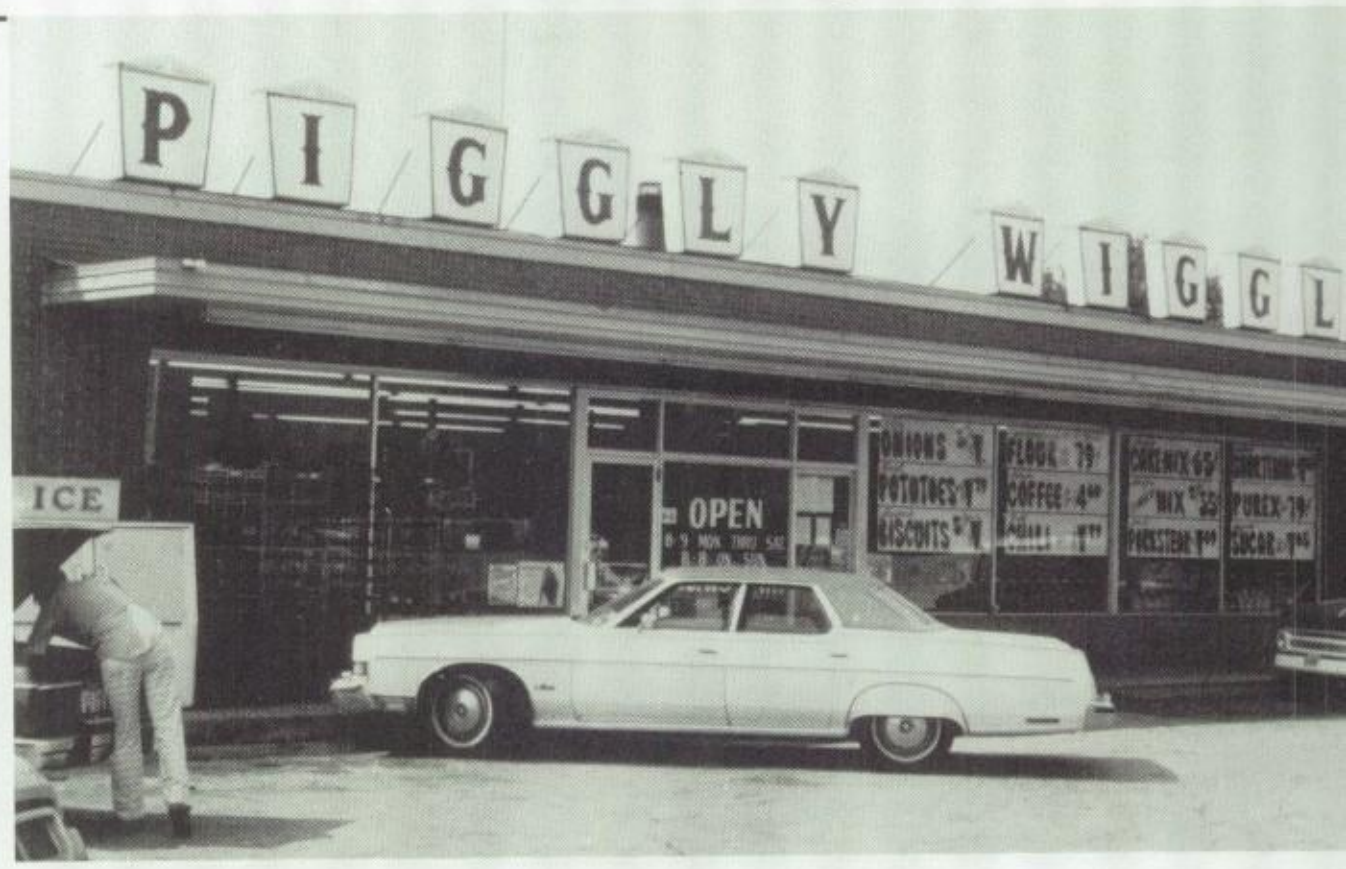

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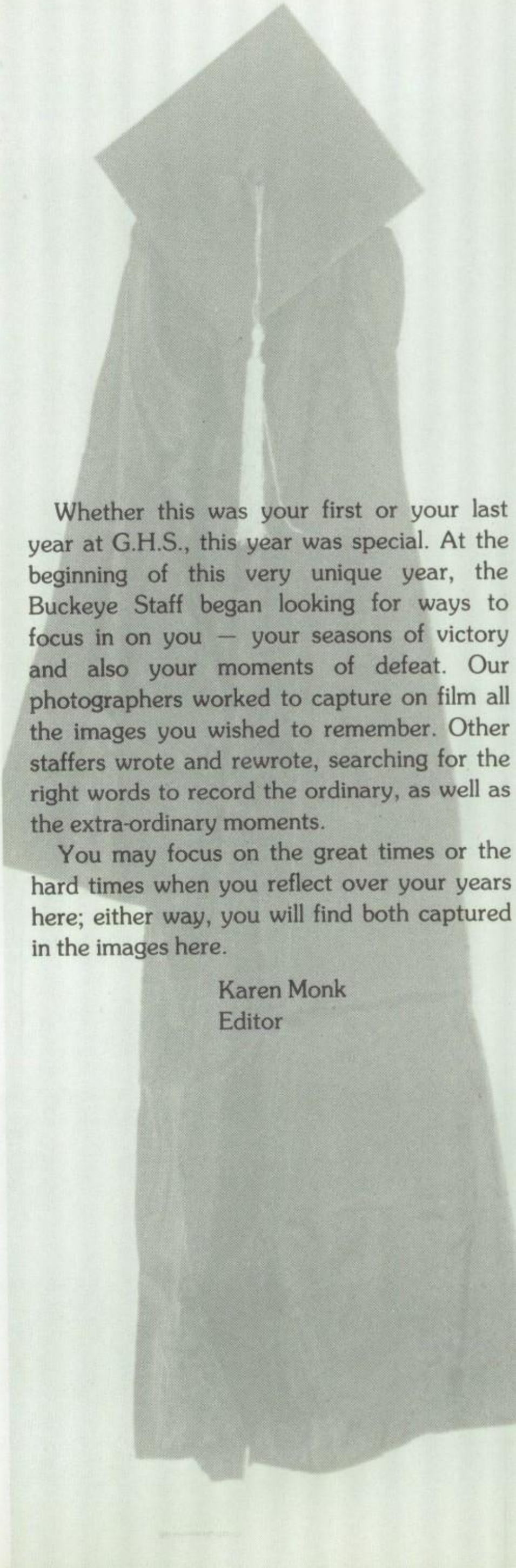

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You may focus on the great times or the hard times when you reflect over your years here; either way, you will find both captured in the images here.

Karen Monk
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